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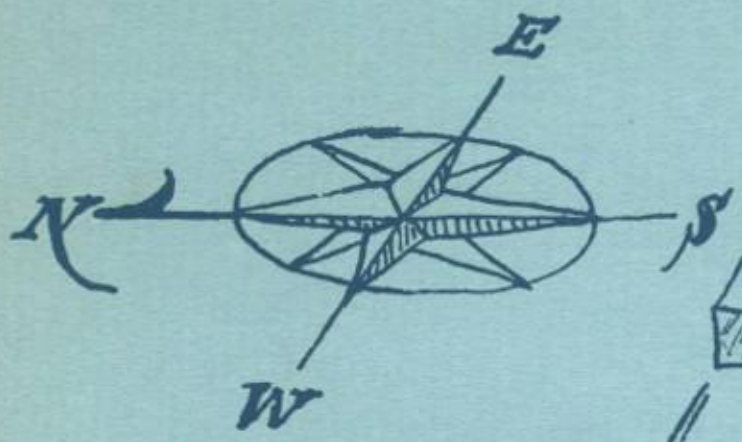
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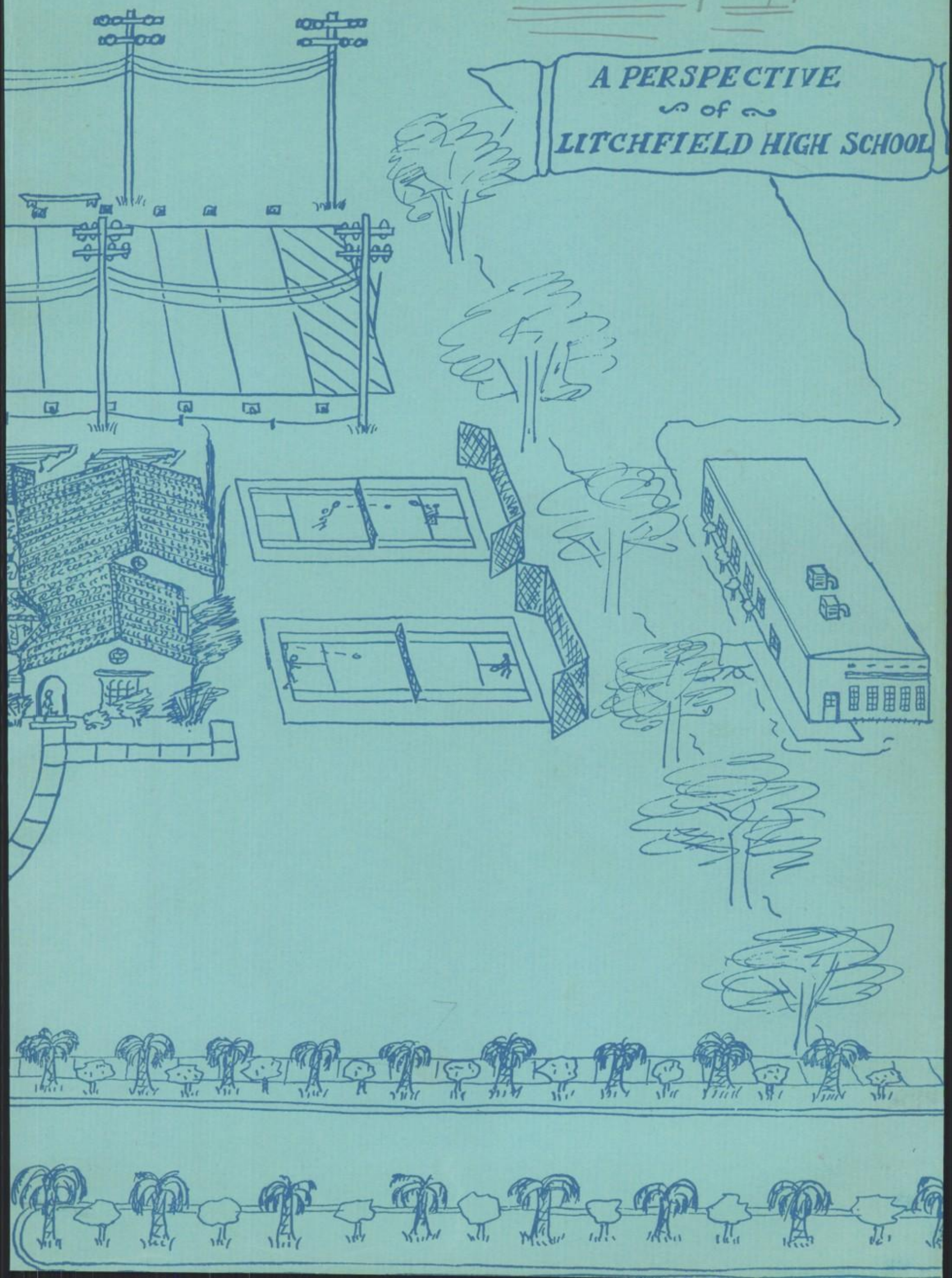
A PERSPECTIVE of LITCHFIELD HIGH SCHOOL



THE WICKIUP

Litchfield High School

LITCHFIELD PARK, ARIZONA

1952

Foreword

High school days are filled with gaiety, seriousness, hopes, and dreams. This year's yearbook has tried to recapture some of those moments so that as you first glance through your annual, you will recall vivid memories; then as years pass, and you again take up the book, you will once more be wafted to those days of reality and fantasy, as you read again of life *Inside L.H.S.*, the subtitle of the 1952 Wickiup.

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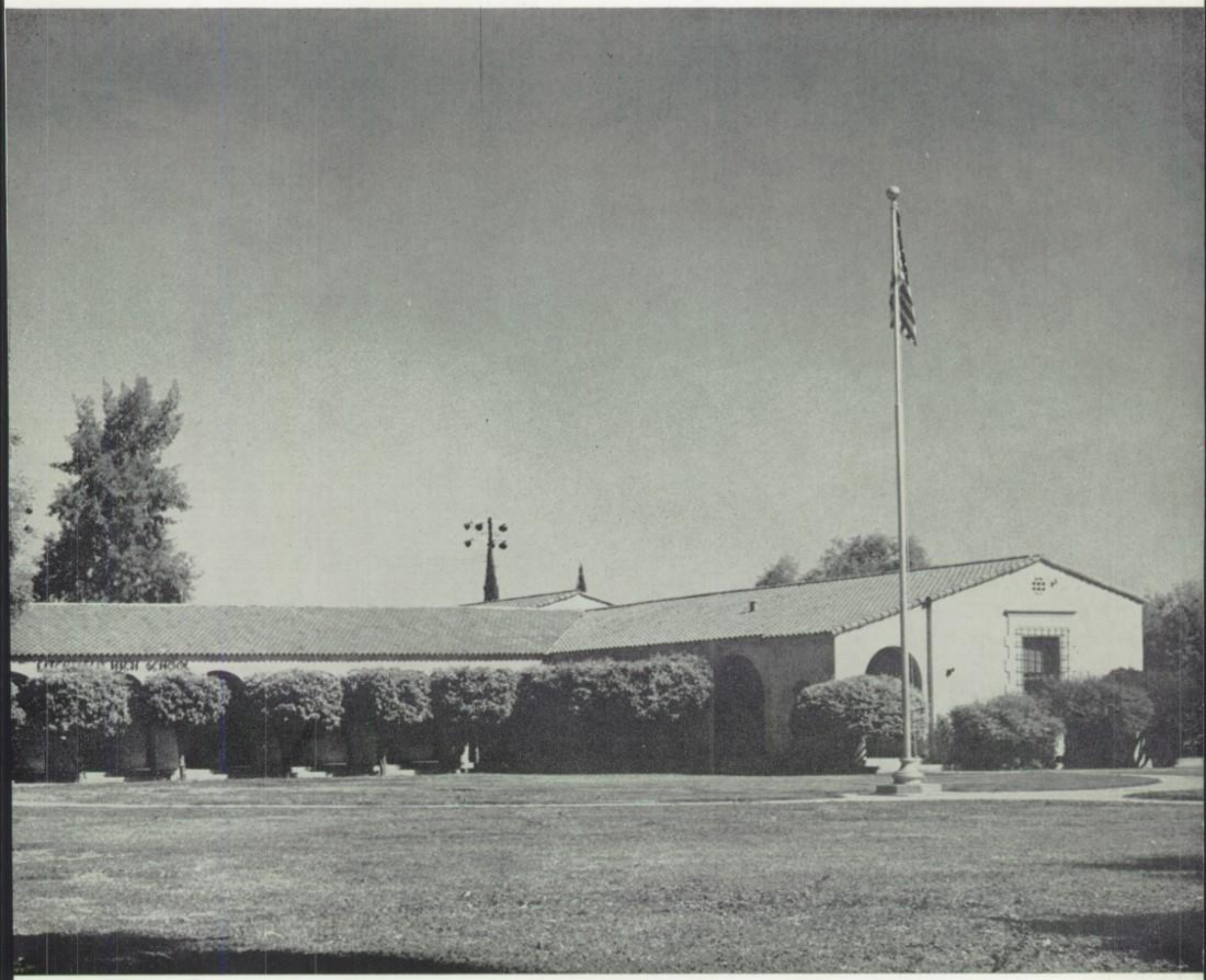
Located at Litchfield Park, Arizona, is Litchfield High School within whose walls and



around whose campus are
centered the events of our
1951-52 story, *Inside L.H.S.*

To the right is pictured one of the pleasant moments of life *Inside L.H.S.* On the campus in front of the school happy banter and confidences are exchanged.

Inside L.H.S. we enjoy the freedoms that through the efforts of our forefathers have become the heritage of all Americans. We have regulations, to be sure, but these are for the protection of the rights and privileges of the majority and for the purpose

of helping us to become useful and enterprising citizens in our great nation. And since so many boys and girls throughout the darkening world of today do not have the opportunities that are ours, the Class of 1952 dedicates this issue of the Wickiup to the hope that youth the world over may come to experience the freedoms that are the way of life *Inside L.H.S.*

The 1952 School Year Begins

Another school year begins. Once more buses unload students who are again answering the challenge of the school bell. The girls and boys hurrying toward the school in the above picture are representative of the youth of America with its great possibilities and promise for the future, while the bus and the school are emblems of freedom in education. As the year proceeds, there will be moments of joy, anxiety, and frustration, with moments of success as well. So guided by the maps follow this young, industrious generation so filled with energy through the school year of 1951-52.

Administration Area

Litchfield High School

A. Chaperon Area
B. Discipline District
C. Curriculum Railroad
D. Registration Region

Mr. K. B. McMicken
President

Mr. G. H. Reismann
Member

Dr. R. K. Hilton
Clerk

The School Board Stands For Progress

Mr. Tidwell showing the new school bus to the Board of Education through whose interest in the students, Litchfield High acquires the equipment to make it what it is today.

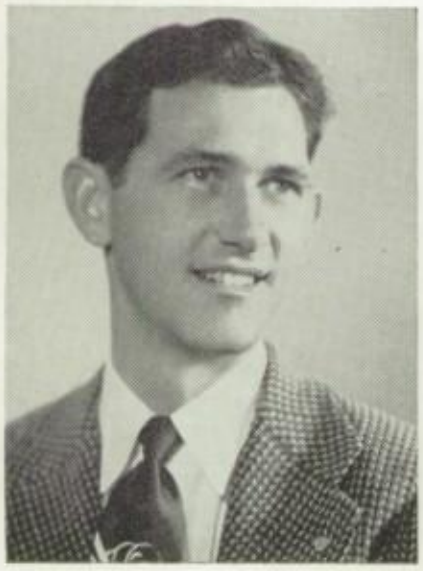
The L.H.S. Faculty

MR. A. L. TIDWELL
Superintendent, Litchfield Schools
Adviser, Student Council

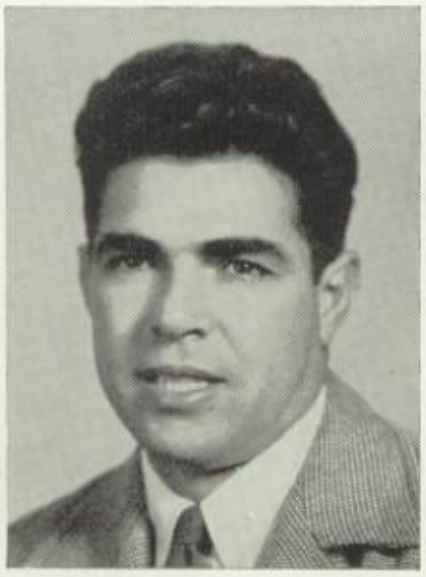
MR. W. E. ANGERMEYR
University of Arizona
Band; Chorus
Sponsor, Freshman Class

MISS CAROLYN BANKS
Arizona State College at Tempe
Home Economics, Second Semester;
Adviser, Girls' League; F. H. A.

MR. R. E. HAYDEN
Creston, Iowa, Junior College
Kansas State Teachers' College
University of Arizona
Study Hall, Library
Sponsor, Junior Class



MR. C. B. COOR
Colgate University
Arizona State College at Flagstaff
Industrial Arts
Driver Training; Adviser,
Boys' Alliance; Tennis Coach



MR. J. GARCIA
Arizona State College at Tempe
Assistant Coach, Football
Coach, Baseball

MR. N. R. BORG
Arizona State College at Flagstaff
Colorado State College, Greeley
Commerce;
Adviser, Desert Howl

MISS EMMA HUNDHAUSEN
University of Missouri
Washington University, St. Louis
English
Sponsor, Senior Class
Editorial Adviser, Wickiup

MRS. JUANITA JAMISON
University of Iowa
Arizona State College, Tempe
English, Speech
Sponsor, Junior Class

MR. TONY KOMADINA, JR.
Arizona State College, Tempe
Physical Education, Science
Coach
Sponsor, Sophomore Class

MRS. DOROTHY OSTERGREN
North Dakota Agricultural College
Home Economics, First Semester
Adviser, Girls' League
F. H. A.

MR. I. D. QUASS
Greenville College, Illinois
University of Nebraska
Social Science; Biology
Visual Aids
Sponsor, Sophomore Class

MISS NELDA RANDALL
School Secretary
Takes dictation, writes letters, signs excuses, and keeps files and records

MISS MARIE VALENZUELA
St. Joseph's Hospital, Phoenix
School Nurse
Tests students' hearing, sight, and weight.
Checks on illness

MR. KEITH A. WEST
Washington State College
Utah State College
Science; Math
Sponsor, Radio Club
Sponsor, Freshman Class

MISS FRANCES YBARRA
Arizona State College, Tempe
University of Michigan
Spanish; Commerce
Sponsor, Senior Class
Business Adviser, Wickiup

Left to right: M. B. Webb, F. Bruesch, J. Dobson, G. Donaldson.

Men whose efficiency add to the pleasure of life Inside L.H.S.

These four men are always on the job, keeping our corridors and classrooms clean, maintaining the school grounds, and keeping the buses in top shape.

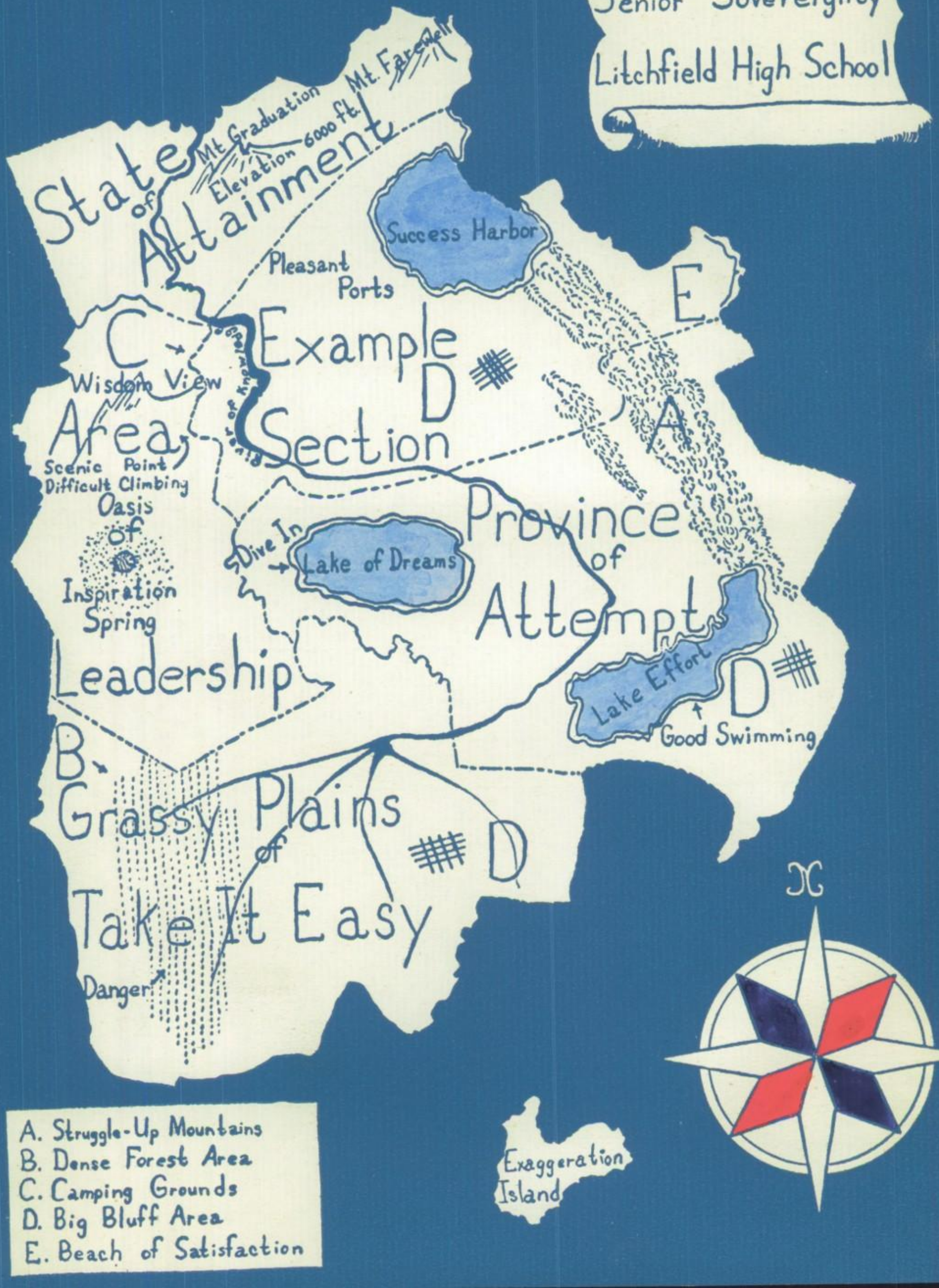
These Men Drive Us To and From School

The school bus is an institution in the life at L.H.S. Some of our teachers along with our regular bus drivers, devote a little time each day to driving the buses.

Left to right: Mr. Webb, Mr. West, Mr. Hayden, Mr. Borg, Mr. Smith, Mr. Garcia, Mr. Bruesch

Senior Sovereignty

Litchfield High School



A. Struggle-Up Mountains
B. Dense Forest Area
C. Camping Grounds
D. Big Bluff Area
E. Beach of Satisfaction

The Senior Class

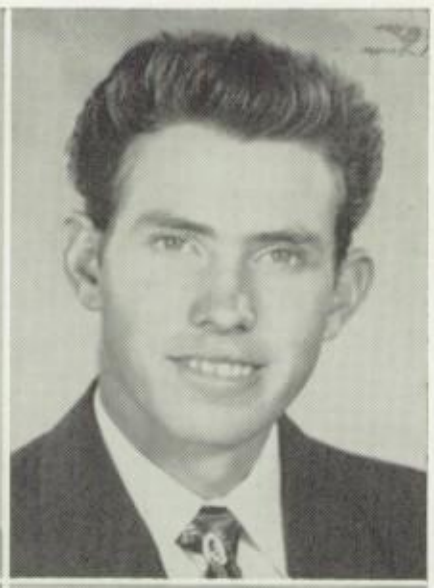
While not the largest class to be graduated at L.H.S., the class of 1952 is a good one with its ideals expressed in its motto: "We make a living by what we get; we make a life by what we give." Archie Tucker has led the group as president; Bill Zeigler has been vice-president, while Eleanor Brinker has served as secretary-treasurer.

When the graduation exercises arrive, only twenty-five of the thirty pictured seniors will be present to receive their diplomas. Three have changed their residences; one withdrew because of illness; and one has offered his services to Uncle Sam in order to help preserve the freedoms of this great country.

PAT ACKMAN—April Frolics,1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1; Class Assembly 1; Christmas Pageant 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Majorette 2, 3, 4; Music Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Octette 4; Salad Bowl Princess 4; Sports' Night 2, 4; Tennis 4; Wickiup Staff 4; Winter Fantasy Attendant 1. ● **PAUL ARAGON**—Transfer from Tolleson High; April Frolics 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 4; Christmas Pageant 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Sports' Night 2; Wickiup Staff 4.

MARY LOUISE ARVIZU—April Frolics 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Night 1; Wickiup Staff 4. ● **JOY CLYDELL BELLUZZI**—April Frolics 1, 2, 3, 4; April Frolics' Captain 4; Christmas Pageant 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 4; Girls' League Rep. 1; Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Octette 4; Wickiup Staff 4.

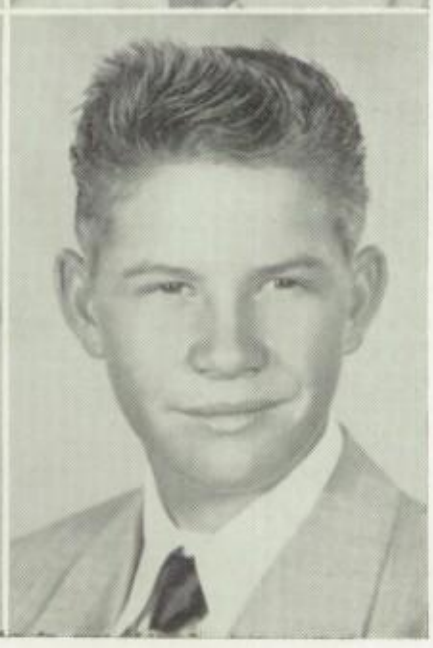
ELEANOR RUTH BRINKER—Abraham Award 2; April Frolics 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Class Bus. Mgr. 3; Class Sec. 4; Co-Editor, Desert Howl 4; Children and Youth Convention 4; Declamation Contest 3, 4; F.H.A. 3; G. L. Convention 2; G. L. Council 1, 3; G. L. Sec. 3; Girls' State 3; Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Student Council Convention 4; Wickiup Staff 4; Rep. Constitution Oratorical Contest 4; Valedictorian. ● **MARTHA BROWN**—Transfer from North Phoenix High; Desert Howl 4; Wickiup Staff 4.



CHARLES BENARD CLINGE—Transfer from Wauconda High, Illinois; Christmas Pageant 4; April Frolics 4; Boys' Alliance 4; Desert Howl 4; Wickiup Staff 4. ● **JOHN COUCH**—April Frolics 1, 2, 3; Boys' Alliance Council 4; Wickiup Staff 4.

RITA FRANCES CRABTREE—Transfer from Duncan High; April Frolics 2, 3, 4; Chrismas Pageant 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3; Girls' League Convention 4; Majorette 2, 3, 4; Head Majorette 3, 4; Music Festival 2, 3; Music Night 2, 3; Tennis 4; Wickiup Staff 4. ● **JOYCE JO ANN CRAIGO**—April Frolics 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1 ,2, 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-Editor, Desert Howl 4; Declamation Contest 3; F.H.A. 2 3, 4; F.H.A. Bus. Mgr. 3; F.H.A. Vice-Pres. 4; Honor Roll 1, 2, 4; Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Night 1, 2, 3; Octette 3, 4; Typing Award 3; Wickiup Staff 4.

PHYLLIS CAROLE DAVIES—Transfer from Struthers High, Ohio; April Frolics 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4; F.H.A. 4; Music Festival 3, 4; Music Night 3, 4; Wickiup Staff 4. ● **JOYCE ANN FORBES**—Transfer from Lynnview High School, Kingsport, Tenn.; April Frolics 3, 4; Candidate for Salad Bowl Princess 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 3, 4; Girls' League Convention 4; Girls' League Pres. 4; Honor Roll 3, 4; Majorette 3, 4; Music Night 3, 4; Music Festival 3, 4; Sports' Night 4; Student Council 4; Wickiup Assistant Bus. Mgr. 4; Winter Fantasy Queen 4; Chorus 3, 4.



MARTHA JANE FULKS—April Frolics 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 1, 3; Class Vice-Pres. 1; Christmas Pageant 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Girls' League Rep. 2; Honor Roll 1; Music Festival 1, 2, 3; Sports' Night 2; Wickiup Staff 4. ● **THOMAS WILLIAM HALL**—April Frolics 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2; Christmas Pageant 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2; Desert Howl 4; Football 2, 3; "L" Club 3, 4; Music Night 2; Wickiup Staff 4.

RUTH LOUISE HANCOCK—April Frolics 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-Editor, Wickiup 4; Declamation Contest 2, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' League Convention 4; Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Sports' Night 2, 4; Tennis 3, 4. ● **RICHARD J. HESS**—April Frolics 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 3; Declamation Contest 4; Wickiup Staff 4.

MARY AGNES HORNBAKER—Transfer from Tempe High; Christmas Pageant 4; Chorus 4; Wickiup Staff 4. ● **MARY KATHRYN JACKSON**—Transfer from Buckeye; Winter Fantasy Attendant 3; April Frolics 3, 4; Chorus 3; Music Night 3; Music Festival 3; Cheer Leader 4; Majorette Sub. 4; Girls' League Rep. 3: Co-Captain Sports' Night 4; Christmas Pageant 3, 4; Honor Roll 4.

GENE LEROY JEFFERIES—Transfer from Redlands, Calif.; April Frolics 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Boys' Alliance Rep. 3, 4; Boys' State 3; Children and Youth Convention 4; Christmas Pageant 3, 4; Football 4; Honor Roll 3, 4; Music Festival 3, 4; Music Night 3, 4; Student Body Vice-Pres. 4; Student Council 4; Student Council Convention 4; Wickiup Bus. Mgr. 4; Winter Fantasy King 4. ● **JOAN BARBARA McMENAMIN**—Transfer from San Angelo, Texas; Christmas Pageant 4; Chorus 4; Declamation Contest 4; Oratorical Contest 4; Wickiup Staff 4; Winter Fantasy Attendant 4.

JO ANNE MAXINE MYERS—Transfer from Clarkdale High; April Frolics 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Children and Youth Convention 4; Christmas Pageant 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4; Co-Editor, Wickiup 4; D.A.R. Rep. 4; Girls' State 3, Jr. Red Cross Rep. 4; Music Festival 3, 4; Music Night 3, 4; Student Body Bus. Mgr. 4; Student Council Convention 4; Tennis 3, 4. ● **GERALD BUFORD RACKLEY**—Transfer from Oklahoma; April Frolics 4; Christmas Pageant 4; Wickiup Staff 4.

EDITH MARSHALL SCOTT—April Frolics 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Sec. 2; F.H.A. 3; Girls' League Rep. 4; Honor Roll 1, 2, 4; Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Typing Award 2; Tennis 3, 4; Wickiup Staff 4. • **MARY MARTELLE SHEARS**—Transfer from Glendale High; April Frolics 2, 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Cheer Leader 3, 4; Head Cheer Leader 4; Christmas Pageant 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3; Class Sec. 3; F.H.A. 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. Pres. 4; F.H.A. Sec. 3; Girls' League Rep. 4; Honor Roll 2; Music Festival 3, 4; Music Night 2, 3, 4; Tennis 4; Wickiup Staff 4.

WILLIAM BURTON SWEENEY—April Frolics 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 1; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 4; Boys' State 3; Christmas Pageant 3, 4; Chorus 3; Class Pres. 2, 3; Football Announcer 3, 4; Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; "L" Club 3, 4; Music Festival 3; Music Night 3; Spanish Award 2; Student Body Pres. 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Student Council Convention 3, 4; Wickiup Staff 4; Winter Fantasy Attendant 2; C.B.O. Convention; Salutatorian. • **CHARLOTTE JUNE TAYLOR**—April Frolics 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 4; Declamation Contest 3; Desert Howl 4; Music Festival 2, 4; Music Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Wickiup Staff 4.

JON ARCHIE TUCKER—April Frolics 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1; Boys' Alliance Rep. 1; Boys' State 3; Christmas Pageant 4; Class Pres. 4; Jr. Red Cross Rep. 4; Music Festival 1; Music Night 1; Student Council 4; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Wickiup Staff 4. • **HOWARD RONALD TURNBOW**—Transfer from Oklahoma; April Frolics 3; Band 3, 4; Band Pres. 4; Baseball 3; Basketball 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Radio Club 4; Vice-Pres.; Wickiup Staff 4.

JIMMIE DON UPSON—Transfer from San Diego, Calif.; April Frolics 4; Christmas Pageant 4; Desert Howl 4; Football 4; "L" Club 4; Wickiup Staff 4. • **WILLIAM JAMES ZEIGLER**—April Frolics 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Boys' Alliance Rep. 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; Class Vice-Pres. 4; Declamation Contest 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3; "L" Club 2, 3, 4; Vice-Pres. 4; Music Festival 1, 2; Music Night 1, 2; Radio Club 3, 4; Pres. 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Wickiup Staff 4; Winter Fantasy Attendant 3, 4; C.B.O. Convention.

Junior Domain

Litchfield High School

Bay of Mirth

Babbling Brook

Danger

E

Region of Resolution

A

Territory of Maybeso

C

Lake Toil

Life Guards Present

Tardiness Prohibited

State of Procrastination

Mt. Welldone

Aspiration Province

Mt. Struggle

Mt. Attempt

River Desire

Guessing Geyser

B

Area of Obedience

Camp ## Authority

Itwasthisway

Lake Exeuse

Big Fish Caught Here

States

D

N

A. Blue Slip Mt. Range
B. Forest of Hedidn't Believe Us
C. Refuge from Work
D. Ditchers' Gulch
E. Quicksand

The Junior Class

BOBBY MCMILLAN
President

MARJORIE COOPER
Vice-President

SUSIE SINGLETON
Secretary

JIM PHELAN
Business Manager

LEROY ANDREWS

HELEN BAKER

LAVENIA BARKS

BOB BETTERTON

SUE ANN BURNS

ROSE ELLA CALCOTE

ENEDINA CAMPA

JOSIE CERINO

CARL CLARINO

JOHN COZAD

RICHARD ESQUIVEL

CARMEN GARCIA

EARL GROSS

PAT HENRY

JOHNNY JAMISON

BARBARA JARNAGIN

BARBARA MASSONGILL

TOMMY MOSLEY

BOBBIE RAYNER

WALTER REYNOLDS

NANCY SCHUSTER

BOB SHEPPARD

EUGENE SHROYER

CURTIS STELLEY

KENNETH TAYLOR

JANICE UPSON

RICHARD URBAN

LARRY WATT

Recently Enrolled Students Not Pictured Are:

CLAUDIE SAMPSON
Transfer from Glendale High

WAYNE TILLOTSON
Transfer from Oxnard High, Calif.

MARY LOUISE WHITTAKER
Transfer from Tolleson High

DOUGLAS WINGFIELD
Transfer from Tolleson High

Sophomore State
Litchfield High School

Point Confidence

F

Peak of Perfection

Noisy Bay

Snoopy Harbor

Mt. Hubbub

Pleasure Park

Dangerous Curve

State of Absent-Mindedness

Dependability

Province of Theymeantit

Steep Climb

E

River of Despair

Exam Mt. Range

State of Good Report

D

B

State of A Whydoit

Fountain of Knowledge

Letstry Territory

C

Banter Bluff

Dive In

Endeavor Lake

The Water's Fine

Tardiness Pool

N

A. Drifting Sand
B. Stay at Home Area
C. Plains of Satisfaction
D. Rapture Range
E. Hodge-Podge Reservation
F. Cape of Good Will

The Sophomore Class

LADDIE COOR
President

RUSSEL KILLIP
Vice-President

ROBERTA CALLAN
Secretary

MARY ALICE MORALES
Treasurer

TONY ARVIZU

BETTY LOU BAGSHAW

BILLY BARNETT

JACKSON BARNETT

STARR BECK

RONALD BELL

ALIENE BELLUZZI

DENNIS BROWN

VENEITA BRUMMEL

ROBERT BURGAN

GLENN CALKINS

JAMES CARDEN

CHARLES COMPTON

DOROTHY GAEFCKE

AL GALINDO

BEA HARDEMAN

SUE HESS

LARRY HORTON

MANUEL JIMENEZ

DAVID JOHNS

Glenn Ludeman

Bobby Ludlow

La Vonna Manning

Barbara McCorquodale

Grace McMillen

Terry Myers

George Nolan

Jack Palmer

Flo Ann Patterson

Jack Pierce

Juanita Rackley

Earle Rayner

Peggy Reynolds

Arlyne Rodgers

Charles Rygiel

Marilyn Schmidt

Eleanor Shackelford

Belen Soto

Evelyn Swinson

Carolyn Tyree

Clyde Webb

Tommy Wertner

Frances Wilson

Pug Wood

Freshman Territory

Litchfield High School

Success Station

Sandy Beach

Pool of Exertion

Skill Section

Steep Grade Slow

Flag Stop

Curve of Good Times

Area of Satisfaction

Well of Courage

State of Apprehension

Proceed at Moderate Speed

Avoid

Camp Complacency

Beware Flood Water

Province of Adjustment

Determination Point

A. Forest of Bewildermont
B. Promotion Railroad
C. Dangerous Crossing
D. Mt. Self Reliance
E. Exam Station
F. Tryagain Mountains
G. Absense Wash

The Freshman Class

JERRY HALL
President

KING COOPER
Vice-President

PAULINE JEFFERIES
Secretary

GLENDA JO ANDERSON

TANYA ANDRADE

DORIS ANDREWS

MARY JANE ARAGON

DOROTHY BAKER

DALE ARMSTRONG

RONALD ARMSTRONG

KENNETH BLYTHE

WAYNE BRAZEL

BERYL BURTON

TEDDY CALLAN

GLENN COLE

EDDIE CONNOLLY

NANCY COOKE

ROBERT COOLEY

BILL CRABTREE

SARA DELGADILLO

ELIZABETH DONALDSON

THOMAS FAULKNER

JEAN FEYSA

LEWIS GOLDBERG

SYBLE HANCE

THURLEEN HATHAWAY

FRANCES HAWKINS

DARLENE JAMES

LEON JARNAGIN

ROSEMARY JONES

CAMILLE KAMPERT
DON LUX
KENNETH LYNN
VERNA MCCOURT
ELAINE MCDOWELL

HAROLD MILES
FRED MIRANDA
RUDY MORENO
ELNORA NEEDHAM
NANCY O'NEAL

MARY PETERS
GARNET PHILLIPS
JUDY RANKIN
SHIRLEY RAY
THOMAS SCHUSTER

JIMMIE SCOTT
RAY SHEPPARD
FRANCES SHERMAN
THOMAS SHIRLEY
LA DONNE SPENCE

GEORGE TRUMAN
HERMELINDA VALDEZ
WANDA WEBSTER
JAMES WERNER
IMA JEAN WILSON

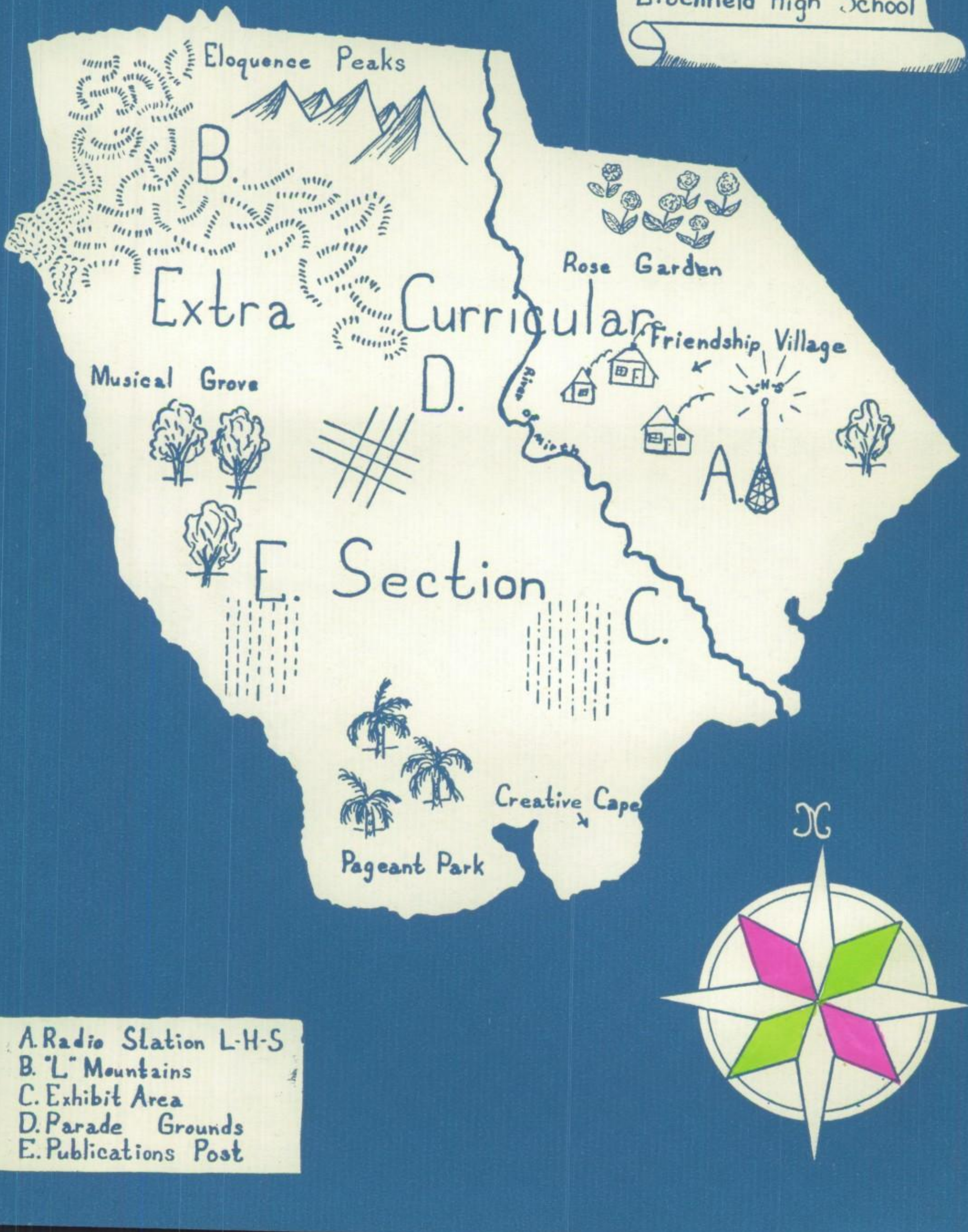
Recently Enrolled Freshmen Not Pictured Are:

BUDDY STONE
Transfer from East Bakersfield High, Bakersfield, Calif.

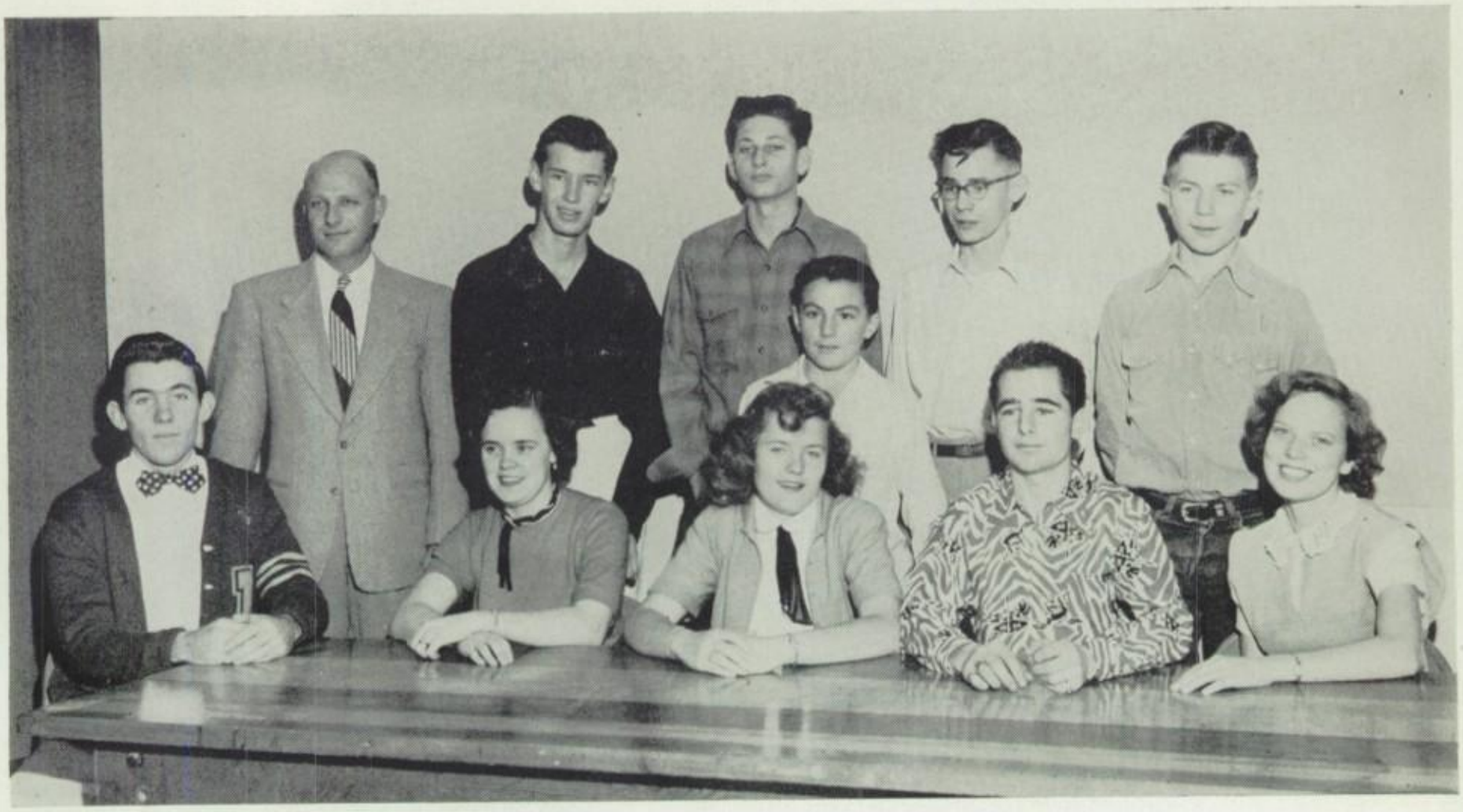
JUNE WANER
Transfer from Fort Plain Central New York

Activities Region

Litchfield High School



A. Radio Station L-H-S
B. "L" Mountains
C. Exhibit Area
D. Parade Grounds
E. Publications Post



Standing: Mr. Tidwell, Bob McMillan, Gene Jefferies, Jerry Hall, Jim Phelan, Laddie Coor. *Sitting:* Bill Sweeney, Eleanor Brinker, Jo Anne Myers, Archie Tucker, Joyce Forbes.

Co-operation Marks Progress

With the spirit of cooperation evident throughout the year, the 1951-52 Student Council carried out the traditions of student government.

Student Body President Bill Sweeney, serving his third year on the Council, presided over the meetings.

This widely representative group of active leaders, along with their enthusiastic adviser, Mr. A. L. Tidwell, accomplished numerous student relations projects. Among these were: entering a float in the Salad Bowl Parade for the benefit of Arizona's crippled children; planning the school's annual Patron's Day assembly; arranging and producing exchange assemblies with Tolleson High and Peoria High; financial aid to several school organizations; planning the all-school picnic in May; sponsoring an after-game dance; membership in the Junior Red Cross, and representing the student body in public relations on numerous occasions. The Council was a member of the National Association of Student Councils, a nationwide organization of student governments.

Looking back, the members of the 1951-52 Student Council feel the satisfaction of participation in an important democratic function—self government.

1951-52 STUDENT COUNCIL

PRESIDENT	BILL SWEENEY
VICE PRESIDENT	GENE JEFFERIES
SECRETARY	ELEANOR BRINKER
BUSINESS MANAGER	JO ANNE MYERS
SENIOR CLASS PRESIDENT	ARCHIE TUCKER
JUNIOR CLASS PRESIDENT	BOB McMILLAN
SOPHOMORE CLASS PRESIDENT	LADDIE COOR
FRESHMAN CLASS PRESIDENT	JERRY HALL
BOYS' ALLIANCE PRESIDENT	JIM PHELAN
GIRLS' LEAGUE PRESIDENT	JOYCE FORBES
ADVISER	MR. A. L. TIDWELL

Back Row: Buford Rackley, Willie Hall, Gene Jefferies, Charles Clinge, Jim Upson, Bill Sweeney, Bill Zeigler, Dick Hess. *Middle Row:* Miss Hundhausen, June Taylor, Joyce Forbes, Mary Arvizu, Joy Belluzzi, Jo Anne Myers, Martelle Shears, Rita Crabtree, Eleanor Brinker, Pat Ackman, Miss Ybarra. *Front Row:* Joyce Craigo, Ruth Hancock, Martha Fulks, Phyllis Davies, Kay Jackson, Archie Tucker, Paul Aragon.

Seniors Publish 1952 Wickiup

The 1952 Wickiup staff was composed of the members of the Senior Class and each has contributed to its publication. Co-editors have been Jo Anne Myers and Ruth Hancock; art editor, Edith Scott; snapshot editors, Joyce Craigo and Rita Crabtree; typists, Mary Arvizu, Joyce Forbes, and Joyce Craigo; sports editors, Bill Sweeney and Gene Jefferies. Most of the mounting of pictures was done by Archie Tucker.

The end sheets were drawn by Joyce Craigo under the supervision of Mr. Coor.

The division pages were drawn and painted by Edith Scott, Rita Crabtree, Joyce Craigo, Mary Arvizu, Ruth Hancock, and Jo Anne Myers. Joy Belluzzi and Phyllis Davies also helped with some of the painting.

The business side of the project was headed by Gene Jefferies, assisted by Joyce Forbes. Advertising agents besides Gene Jefferies were Bill Sweeney, Archie Tucker, and Ronald Turnbow. Joyce Forbes and Mary Arvizu were salesmen for the book.

All members of the class were salesmen in the various business projects in which they engaged. Besides students already named, these were Pat Ackman, Paul Aragon, Eleanor Brinker, Martha Brown, Charles Clinge, Martha Fulks, Willie Hall, Dick Hess, Kay Jackson, Joan McMenamin, Buford Rackley, Martelle Shears, June Taylor, Jim Upson, and Bill Zeigler. The 1952 Wickiup has been a group responsibility and project.

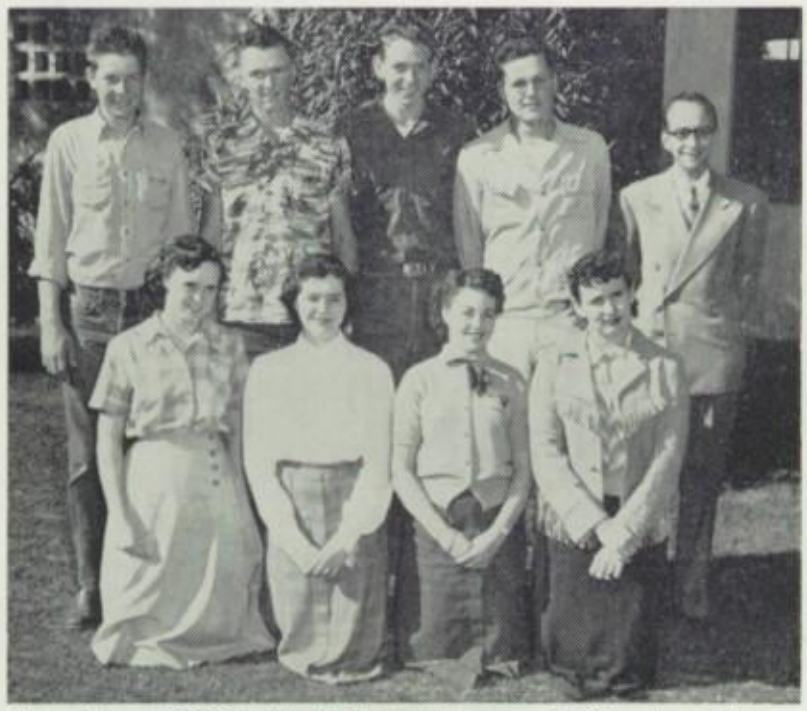
Desert Howl Prints News Events

Is there something the students should know? Print it in the school paper! The Desert Howl has been furnishing news to the students of Litchfield High School and the members of the near-by communities since 1930, and has been doing it with honors.

The paper is published bi-weekly by the members of the journalism class at Litchfield High School in order to promote and unify school spirit and to inform the parents and members of the community of the activities, conduct, and the management of the school.

Under the direction of its able adviser, Mr. Borg, the Desert Howl has won national and state honors to bring recognition to L.H.S. In the Journalism Room one can see awards from a variety of press associations: First place from Columbia Press Association; All-American from the National Scholastic Press Association; All-Arizona conferred by the Pi Delta Epsilon, an honorary collegiate journalism fraternity at the Universty of Arizona, and International First Place by the Quill and Scroll. The Desert Howl is also a member of the Arizona Scholastic Press Association and of the Pacific Slope School Press Association.

The Desert Howl staff for the school year of 1951-52 has been composed of co-editors Eleanor Brinker and Joyce Craigo; news reporters June Taylor, Martha Brown, and Wayne Tillotson; sports writers Walter Reynolds and Jim Upson; mimeoscope artists Bob Sheppard and Willie Hall; advertising agent, Charles Clinge.



Standing: Willie Hall, Bob Sheppard, Charles Clinge, Jimmie Upson, Mr. Borg. *Kneeling:* Eleanor Brinker, Martha Brown, June Taylor, Joyce Craigo.

DELEGATES from several valley schools attended the Congress of Boys' Organization Convention held at Litchfield. A highlight of the meet was a visit to Luke Air Force Base, plus many other places of interest in the vicinity.

Alliance Provides Interest For Boys

With Jim Phelan as president and Mr. Coor as sponsor this year, the Boys' Alliance has accomplished a great deal. The most important achievement was the 1952 Congress of Boys' Organization Convention held at Litchfield. The L.H.S. boys were honored to be hosts at this statewide meeting.

In addition to sponsoring intramural basketball games and the "Wild Harvest Ball," which was one of the outstanding dances of the year, Boys' Alliance has shown many educational movies. This variation of activities has aroused interest in all members of the group.

The Boys' Alliance Council is composed of the officers of the club plus two representatives from each class. In these council meetings special business that can be worked out only by a small group is handled. The officers for this year were: Jim Phelan, president; Richard Esquivel, vice-president; Al Galindo, secretary; and Bob McMillan, treasurer.

Standing: Skip Taylor, Mr. Coor, Jim Phelan, Bill Zeigler, Bob McMillan, Earle Rayner. *Sitting:* Pug Wood, Leon Jarnagin, Richard Esquivel, Al Galindo, Earl Gross, Garnet Phillips.

Back Row, left to right: Mrs. Ostergren, Joyce Forbes, Martelle Shears, Roberta Callan, Bea Hardeman, Bobbie Rayner, Elnora Needham, Tanya Andrade. *Front Row:* Sue Singleton, Peggy Reynolds, Marjorie Cooper, Edith Scott, Belen Soto, Miss Banks.

Council Plans Active Year

An active year for the Girls' League resulted from the careful planning by the officers and representatives of the council. Some of the more important activities engaged in were picking cotton, an all-girls' party, and the Winter Fantasy.

The thirteen members of the council were: Joyce Forbes, president; Sue Singleton, vice president; Belen Soto, secretary; Peggy Reynolds, treasurer; Marjorie Cooper, historian; Edith Scott and Martelle Shears, senior representatives; Bobbie Rayner and Rose Ella Calcote, junior representatives; Roberta Callan and Bea Hardeman, sophomore representatives; Tanya Andrade and Elnora Needham, freshman representatives; Mrs. Ostergren and Miss Banks, advisers.

Girls' League Promotes Friendship

THE GIRLS' LEAGUE meets once every two weeks. Below the girls are pictured at a regular meeting. Joyce Forbes is presiding and Marjorie Cooper is giving a report of the Flagstaff Conventon.

High school girls represent the angels in numerous moving scenes.

Pictured with Mary and Joseph at the crib are the shepherds.

Annual Pageant Portrays the Christmas Story

THE MAGI present their gifts to the little Prince of Peace

Bill Sweeney and Ronald Turnbow read the beautiful Christmas Story.

The verse choir pronounces the benediction at the end of the program.

Readings Enchance the Beauty of the Scenes

The shepherds and Wisemen worship the Christ Child

Top Row: Sherman, K. Cooper, Blythe, B. Barnett, Green, Palmer, Calkins, Pierce, Killip. *Fourth Row:* Needham, Myers, Kampert, Burton, Hancock, Anderson, Hess, Beck, Patterson, A. Belluzzi. *Third Row:* Mr. Angermeyr, Cooke, D. Baker, James, Hance, Hawkins, Craigo, Scott, Burns, Callan. *Second Row:* P. Jefferies, Hardeman, Spence, M. Aragon, Jones, Watt, Andrade, McMenamin, Hathaway, McCourt. *Front Row:* Massongill, H. Baker, Calcote, N. Schuster, Taylor, Swinson, B. Rayner, Donaldson, Ray, Hornbaker, M. Cooper.

Chorus Sings at Pageant

Throughout the Christmas Pageant, which was presented on the evenings of December 19 and 20, the gym was filled with the beautiful melodies of the beloved Christmas carols as they were sung by the L.H.S. chorus under the direction of Mr. William Angermeyr. From the beginning, with the singing of the *Carol of the Shepherds* for the candlelight processional to the concluding number, *Silent Night*, the chorus produced a perfect mood for the scenes. *O Holy Night*, with a solo part sung by Nancy Schuster, and *Today There Is Ringing* were two of the particularly pleasing numbers.

On Music Night, March 7, the chorus again made a public appearance and beautifully rendered such numbers as *Sweet Georgia Brown*, *The Green Cathedral*, *The Desert Song*, *Give Me One Hour* and *Thunder*.

The accompanist for the chorus at the Christmas Pageant and on Music Night was Pauline Jefferies. The membership of the chorus was around sixty.

The band, pictured on the next page, also gave an excellent performance on Music Night. Beginning with *The Star Spangled Banner* they presented a varied and most pleasing program. Two of their most popular numbers were *Badinage for Brasses* and *Waggery for Woodwinds*. Three solo numbers were played: *My Regards*, a trumpet solo by Laddie Coor; *Gavotte*, a clarinet solo by Russel Killip; and *Design for Clarinet*, a clarinet solo by Jack Pierce.

Band Has Active Year

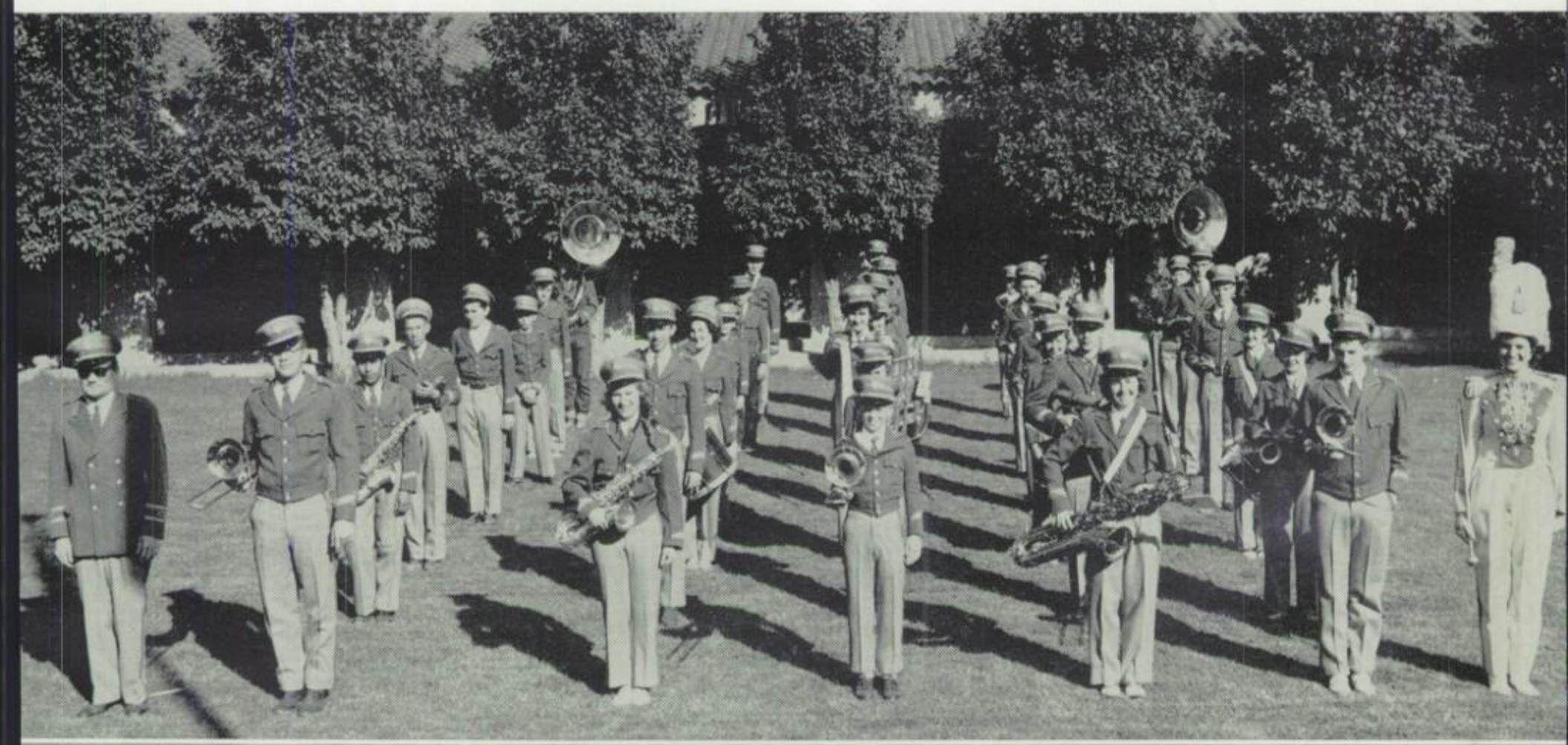
The thirty-eight piece band, also under the direction of Mr. Angermeyr played for all home football games and for several away from home. Their marching, accompanied by the fast-stepping of the graceful majorettes, was always very enjoyable, and when the strains of *The Star Spangled Banner* began, the effect was most impressive. Some of the band's other appearances were at the annual U. of A. Band Day, the State Fair, the Salad Bowl Parade, the Street Dedication in Avondale, and at Patrons' Day.

In the band there is a saxophone quartette, a novelty group called the *Hungry Five,* and a swing band of nine pieces.

Several new instruments were added to the band this year. They are a set of tympani drums, a souzaphone, and a baritone saxophone.

Officers of the L.H.S. Band for 1951-52 were Ronald Turnbow, president; Marjorie Cooper, first vice-president; and Laddie Coor, secretary.

First Row: Mr. Angermeyr, Johns, Moreno, Lynn, Clarino, Weedon, J. Myers, Gross. *Second Row:* Shears, K. Cooper, Ray, Fort, Waltman, Coor. *Third Row:* Manley, Webster, Kampert, Hawkins, Villa, Marsh, Callan. *Fourth Row:* M. Cooper, Cole, Gaefcke, Hilton, Rygiel, Hall. *Fifth Row:* Barks, G. Jefferies, Brinker, G. McMillen, Pierce, Killip, B. Rayner, Armstrong. *Majorettes, left to right:* Forbes, Singleton, Andrade, O'Neal, Ackman. *Kneeling:* Crabtree.



LOVELY PAT ACKMAN
Litchfield High Princess, as she rode in the Salad Bowl Parade.

L. H. S. Adds Color to Parade

Litchfield High was well represented in the 1952 Salad Bowl Parade. Charming PAT ACKMAN made a perfect showing as the princess. The colorful float, which was very original, had for its theme Arizona's need for water. The fast-stepping band, as snappy as ever, did an excellent version of the "Boogie."

On the page to the right may be seen the marching band and the float.

LITCHFIELD
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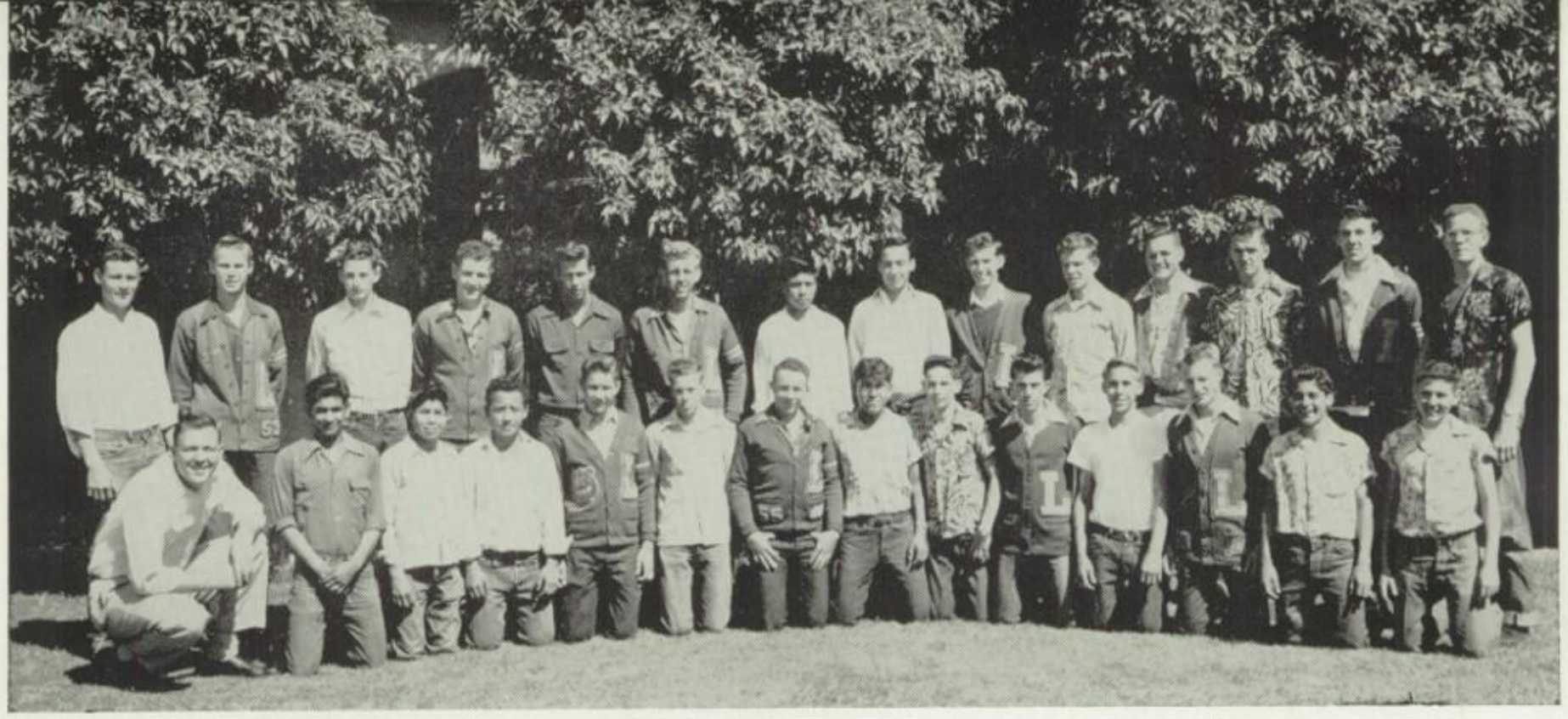
ARIZONA REALLY NEEDS WATER



Standing: Scott, Stelley, Jefferies, Shroyer, Reynolds, Zeigler, B. Barnett, Wood, McMillan, Webb, Upson, Sheppard, Sweeney, Johns. *Kneeling:* Mr. Komadina, Esquivel, J. Barnett, Galindo, Hall, Betterton, Crabtree, Shirley, Horton, Watt, Jarnagin, Taylor, Jimenez, Callan.

"L" Club Fosters Spirit in Athletics

The eighteen new athletes who became members of the school's "L" Club after a colorful initiation in April swelled the membership roster to twenty-seven. The "L" Club is a group composed of letter winners in the major sports and has for its objective the fostering of school spirit in athletics. Officers for the year have been Richard Esquivel, president; Bill Zeigler, vice-president; and Curt Stelley, secretary-treasurer; Bill Sweeney and Bill Zeigler headed the initiation committee.

Students Engage in Activities

Jo Anne Myers, Eleanor Brinker, Gene Jefferies, Archie Tucker, and Bill Sweeney, L.H.S. representatives at Girls' State and Boys' State, are here talking over the political situation. Bill Sweeney was unable to attend the convention.

Pictured below with Mr. Quass are the three students who competed locally in the Constitution Oratorical Contest, Eleanor Brinker, Bill Sweeney, and Joan McMenamin. Eleanor Brinker won first place and represented the school in the district meet.

Back Row: Mrs. Ostergren, Mary Alice Morales, Flo Ann Patterson, Veneita Brummell, Sue Hess, Roberta Callan, Aliene Belluzzi, Pauline Jefferies, Dorothy Gaefcke, Marilyn Schmidt, La Vonna Manning, Peggy Reynolds, Bea Hardeman, Miss Banks. *Front Row:* Ruth Hancock, Joy Belluzzi, Helen Baker, Bobbie Rayner, Phyllis Davies, Barbara Jarnagin, Joyce Craigo, Martelle Shears.

F.H.A. Trains Future Homemakers

F. H. A. is an organization composed of girls interested in being future homemakers. It promotes good citizenship, good leaders, makes a better, wholesome, common life, and improves family life. The Future Homemakers hold meetings once a month.

The Litchfield Chapter had an attractive exhibit in the State Fair, with its theme, "The Guiding Light."

Boys Like Radio

The main purpose of the Radio Club, under the direction of Mr. West, is to learn the principles of radio and television. The supply of equipment has been built up this year. Soldering irons and some of the necessary hand tools have been purchased. The club meets every day during the activity period and Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

The club went on two outings this year. They went on a camping trip to Superstition Mountain, and they visited KHPO radio and television station.

Left to right, Front Row: Frank Samsel, Mr. West, Tommy Wertner, Bill Zeigler. *Second Row:* David Johns, Bobbie Ludlow, Ronald Turnbow, John Cozad, Bob McMillan. *Third Row:* Charles Rygiel, Earle Rayner, Terry Myers. *Fourth Row:* Glenn Ludeman, Skip Taylor, James Carden, Leroy Andrews.

Left to right, Standing: Archie Tucker, Bobbie Rayner, Rose Ella Calcote, Bill Zeigler, Ruth Hancock, Barbara Massongill, Pug Wood, Mrs. Jamison. *Sitting:* George Nolan, Eleanor Brinker, Kenneth Lynn.

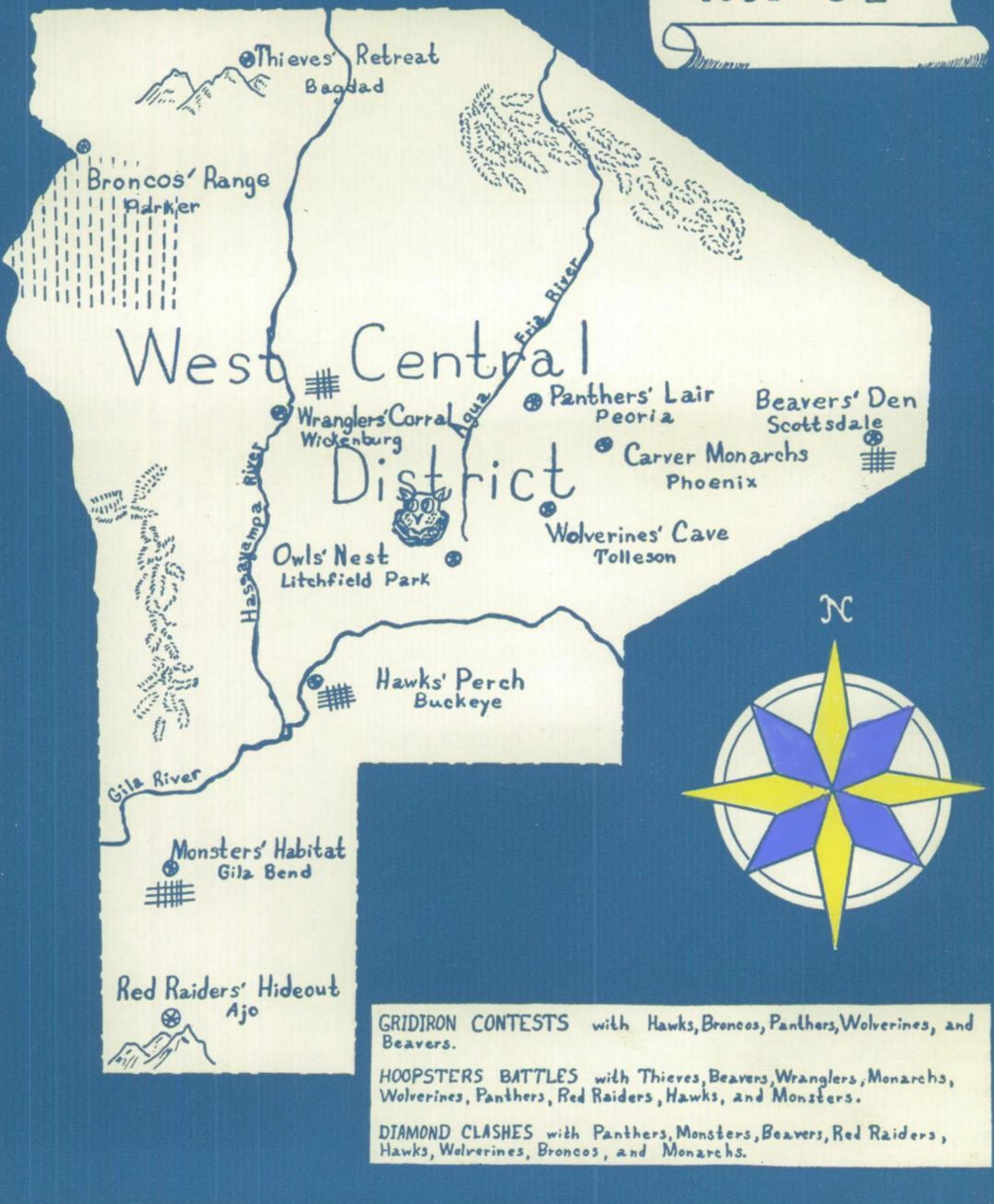
Eight Students Place In Contest

Through the efforts of Mrs. Jamison, instructor in speech, the annual Declamation Contest was held at eight o'clock on the evening of February 12 in the assembly room of the Litchfield Community Church. Bill Sweeney, student body president, acted as master of ceremonies.

Students who participated in the contest included Eleanor Brinker, Beryl Burton, Rose Ella Calcote, Ruth Hancock, Kenneth Lynn, Joan McMenamin, Barbara Massongill, George Nolan, Bobbie Jean Rayner, Archie Tucker, Pug Wood, and Bill Zeigler.

Those who placed in the contest with the titles of their respective readings are listed as follows: Orations, Bill Zeigler, "America and World Communism," first; Pug Wood, "Why," second; and Barbara Massongill, "Rendezvous With Destiny," third; Humorous Readings, Joan McMenamin, "Betty at the Baseball Game," first; Rose Ella Calcote, "To Be or Not To Be," second; Kenneth Lynn, "Tommy Stearns at the Library," third; Dramatic Readings, Eleanor Brinker, "The Crimson Rambler," first, and Ruth Hancock, "White Lilacs," second.

Owls' Campaigns 1951-52



GRIDIRON CONTESTS with Hawks, Broncos, Panthers, Wolverines, and Beavers.

HOOPSTERS BATTLES with Thieves, Beavers, Wranglers, Monarchs, Wolverines, Panthers, Red Raiders, Hawks, and Monsters.

DIAMOND CLASHES with Panthers, Monsters, Beavers, Red Raiders, Hawks, Wolverines, Broncos, and Monarchs.

Left to right, First Row: Upson, Barnett, Aragon, Coor, Miles, Jarnagin, Coach Garcia. *Second Row:* Burgan, Esquivel, Reynolds, Shirley, Betterton. *Third Row:* Moreno, Woods, Turnbow, Watt, Taylor, Jefferies, Galindo, Jimenez. *Fourth Row:* Stelley, Webb, Sheppard, Nolan, Shroyer, Johns.

Owls End Season with 1-9 Record

In football, the first sport of the year, the Owls didn't win all their games; but they fought until the final gun went off. These losses were caused mostly by inexperience. The Owl eleven was downed by the powerful Buckeye team 51-0 in the opening game of the season. The following week saw the Litchfield eleven blanked by Parker 12-0 in a close fought battle. Peoria downed the fighting Owls, 26-6 as Pug Wood crossed paydirt with the first touchdown for the Litchfield squad. For the next two games it was Tolleson 24-0 and Eloy 43-0. The Owls soon after traveled to Morenci only to be defeated 43-0. The following week found the Owls downed by the Phoenix Indians 24-6. The Litchfield squad then bounced back to win their only game by defeating St. Johns' Mission 28-12. The Owls journeyed to Scottsdale next, only to lose to the league champions 28-20 in the hardest fought game of the year. Superior downed a fighting Litchfield eleven 31-6, to close the season.

THE '51 RECORD

	Owls	*Opp.*
Buckeye	0	51
Parker	0	12
Peoria	6	25
Tolleson	0	24
Eloy	0	43
Morenci	7	37
Phoenix Indians	6	24
St. Johns' Mission	27	12
Scottsdale	20	28
Superior	7	37

The Superior game was the final game of the season for the Owl eleven — the last at L.H.S. for Ronald Turnbow, Gene Jefferies, Jim Upson and Paul Aragon.

The team then selected Ronald Turnbow and Gene Jefferies as co-captains for the 1951 season.

SHEPPARD
End

SHROYER
Center

STELLEY
Tackle

TAYLOR
Guard

SHIRLEY
Tackle

TURNBOW
Tackle

UPSON
Guard

WATT
Halfback

WEBB
Tackle

WOOD
Fullback

Twenty Footballers Win Letters

ARAGON
Center

BETTERTON
Halfback

ESQUIVEL
Halfback

GALINDO
Halfback

JARNAGIN
Quarterback

JEFFERIES
End

JIMENEZ
Quarterback

JOHNS
Tackle

REYNOLDS
Halfback

SCOTT
End

Coach Komadina, Coach Garcia

Coaching Staff Teach Fair Play

This was the second year at L.H.S. for head football and basketball coach Tony Komadina. His able assistant, Joe Garcia, has had a few more years of experience, but the two seem to form a fine team in training athletes at L.H.S. Although new at the work of coaching, Mr. Komadina has learned many "tricks of the trade" in high school and college. The football season of 1952 should be an "in the win column" year. We congratulate the coaching staff on its success in '50 and '51 and hope that they continue to teach the boys true sportsmanship and fair play.

Owls Fight All The Way

With only four varsity men graduating in May the Litchfield eleven will have almost a full team returning in September. The four seniors are: Ronald Turnbow and Gene Jefferies, co-captains, and Paul Aragon and Jim Upson. Aragon played a fine game both offensive and defensive. Turnbow, sparkplug of the team, was one of the hardest hitting linemen on the squad. Upson and Jefferies also played rough ball on the line. In the backfield, Wood and Esquivel handled most of the running, backed up by Reynolds, Galindo and Jimenez.

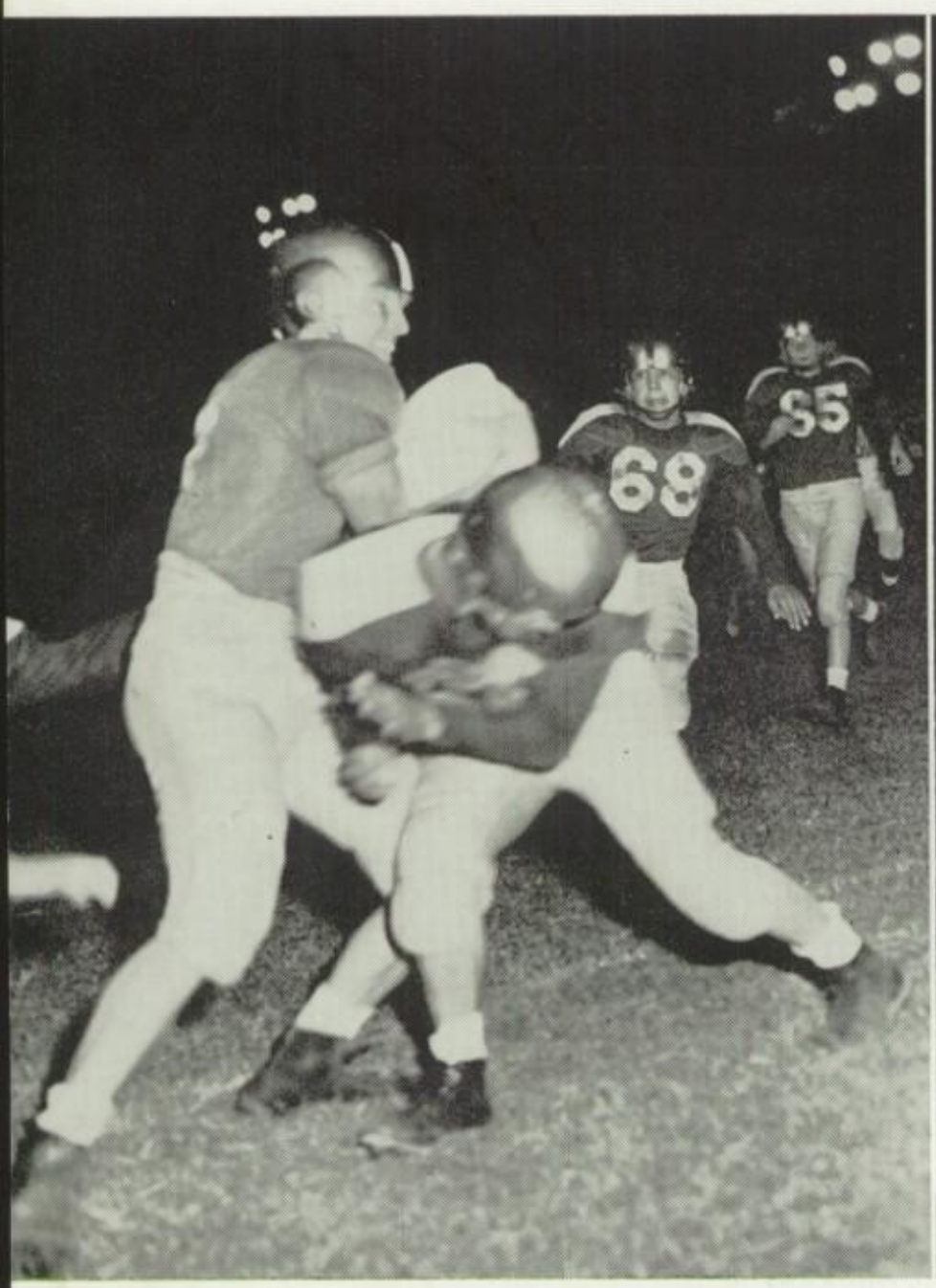
Fourth Row, left to right: Wertner, Crabtree, Miles, Coor, Jarnagin, Phillips. *Third Row:* McMillan, Bell, Goldberg, Blythe, Reynolds, Galindo. *Second Row:* Burgan, Shirley, Rayner, Cole, Nolan, Moreno. *First Row:* Coach Garcia, Callan, Hall, Myers, Barnett, Sheppard.

Scrappy JV Squad Gains Experience

Sparkplugged by Bill Crabtree's running and Walt Reynold's fine passing, the Owlets managed to stay in the win column throughout the season. The J.V. squad is valuable in that it builds future varsity players.

J. V. Scores

	Owls	*Opp.*
Buckeye	27	13
St. John's Mission	15	0
Tolleson	27	12
Peoria	18	8
Phoenix Indians	35	25
Buckeye	19	0

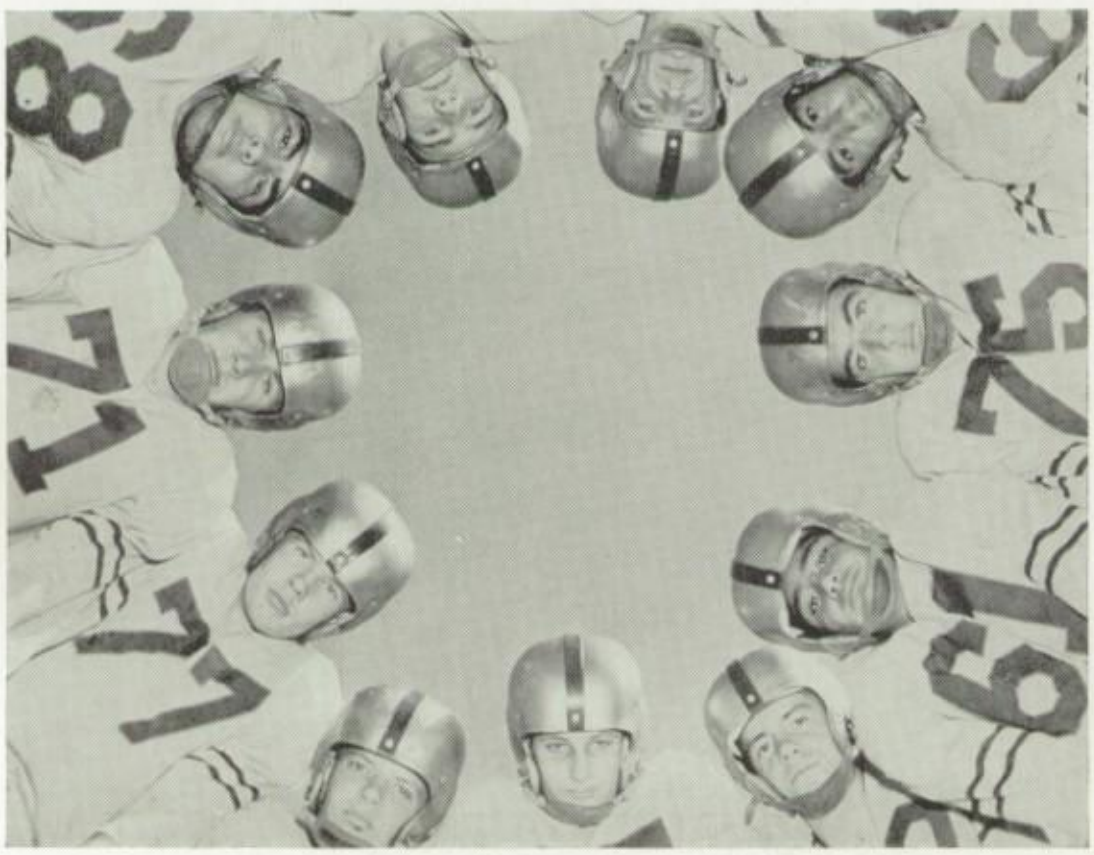


Aragon and Jefferies move in to assist Galindo against Peoria.

As Galindo is blocked, Peoria tacklers down Moreno.

Owl Eleven Get Signals From Quarterback

This year, quarterbacked by Jimenez, the Litchfield Owls gained valuable experience that will make them a winning team in 1952. With a loss of only four seniors, next year's squad should be able to stay in the win column throughout the season.



Turnbow
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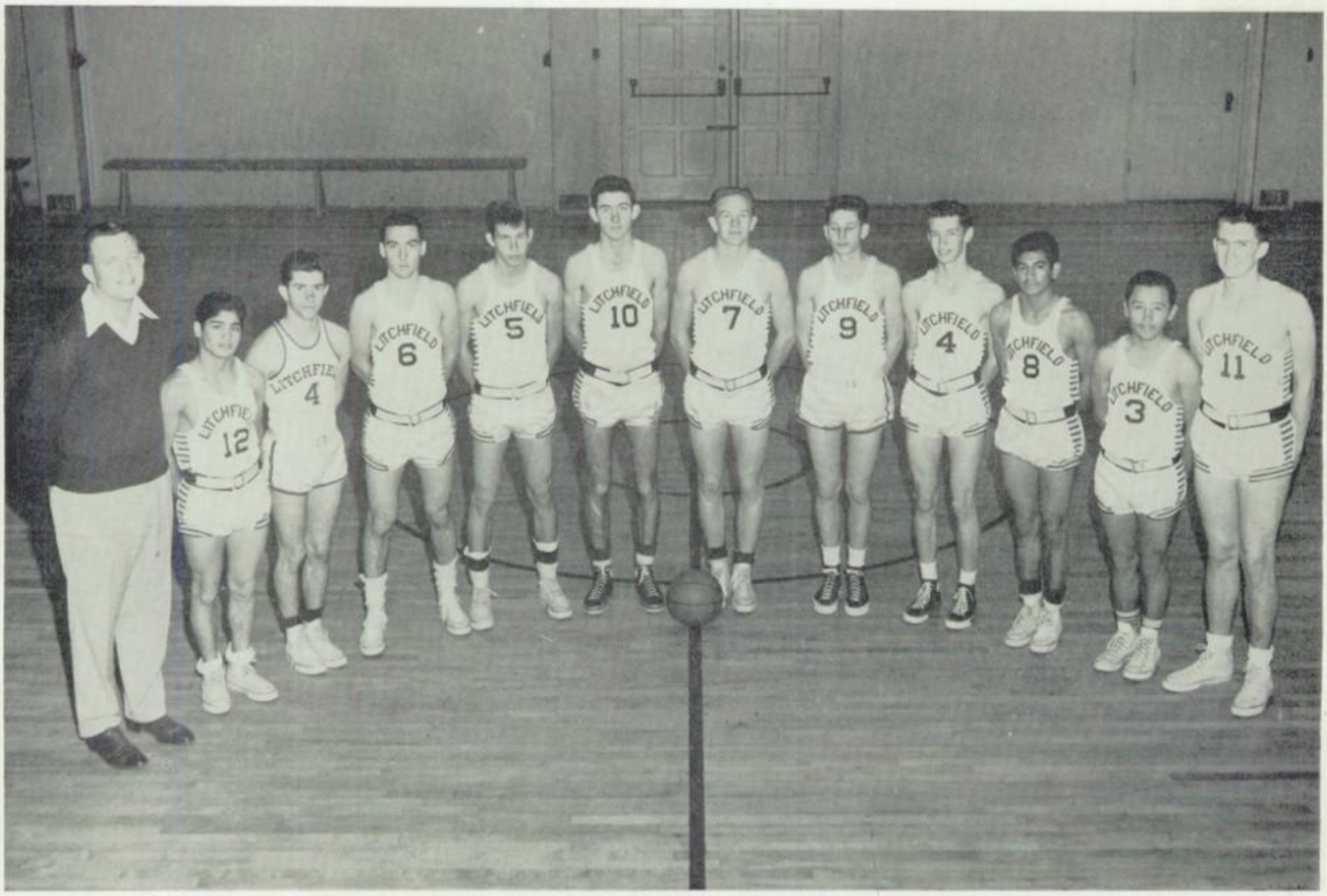


Coach Komadina, Jimenez, Watt, Wood, Reynolds, Sweeney, Johns, Jefferies, McMillan, Esquivel, Galindo, Turnbow.

Hard Driving Cagers Gain Success

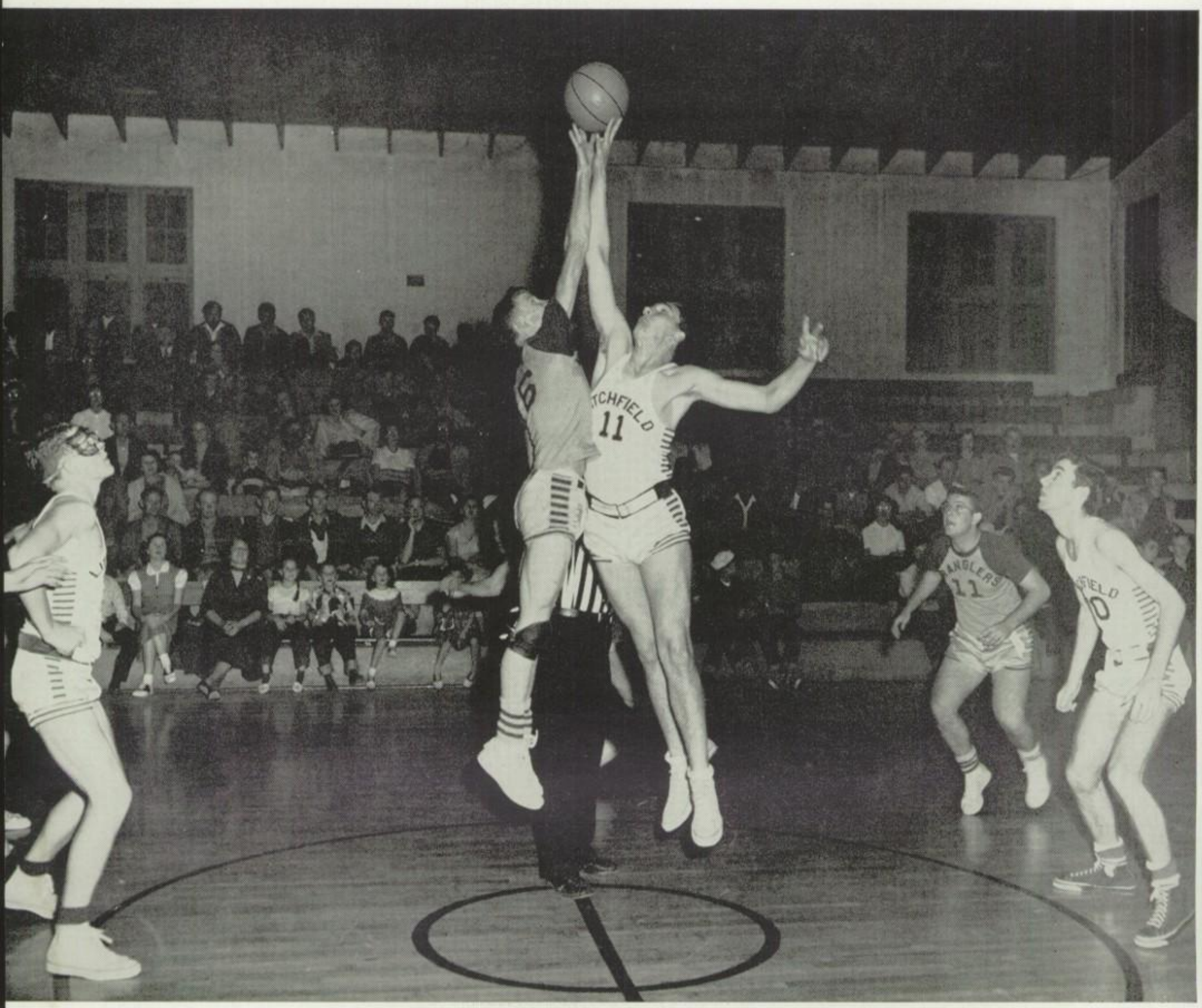
The varsity basketball team had a successful season, winning ten of their regularly scheduled twenty games.

Richard Esquivel, David Johns, Walter Reynolds, Ronald Turnbow, Pug Wood, Bill Sweeney, Gene Jefferies, and Larry Watt comprised the varsity squad, ably assisted by Manuel Jimenez, Al Galindo, and Bob McMillan of the junior varsity. Many of the games were lost by very close scores, with the team always a threat.

SEASON'S RECORD

	Owls	*Opp.*
Gilbert	41	29
Bagdad	40	31
Scottsdale	29	38
Buckeye	36	24
Wickenburg	42	44
Phoenix Indians	56	40
Carver	30	52
Tolleson	36	48
Gila Bend	65	32
St. Johns'	73	31
Phoenix Indians	47	43
Peoria	45	48
Scottsdale	31	74
Wickenburg	37	38
Ajo	28	36
Peoria	43	54
Buckeye	38	27
Parker	38	47
Gila Bend	38	71

In the District Tournament held at the close of the season, lack of depth probably cost the Owl cagers a spot at the State Championship Tournament. Entering the tournament with but eight players, injuries and illness further cut their numbers. After winning their opening game from Parker, the Owls went into the semi-finals against Ajo. This was an extremely hard fought and even game for three quarters. Litchfield, using but six players, was finally worn down by the large Ajo squad in the final quarter. From the semi-finals, the Owls dropped to the Consolation, where they beat Parker in an overtime game, 44 to 43, with Richard Esquivel's basket tipping the scale for the victory. In the final they bowed out to Scottsdale.



OPENING PLAY of Wickenburg-Litchfield Conference game. Ronald Turnbow (center) jumps at tip-off circle as forward David Johns (to left) and guard Bill Sweeney (to right) are on the alert to control the ball.

Although the Owl squad was small, it showed itself to be a scrappy team at all times, and very well trained by its popular coach, Tony Komadina. As the fourth team in the West Central District Tournament, the Owls were voted for consideration as the district's representative for the sixteenth member to the State Championship Tournament. However, Holbrook High, sixteenth team representative from the Northern Conference, was chosen to fill the berth.

Chosen captain of the squad by his teammates was center Ronald Turnbow. Of the 1951-52 varsity squad, Turnbow, Bill Sweeney and Gene Jefferies are seniors.

Snappy Owlets Snag Honors

An exceptional record was made by the Junior Varsity team with but one loss in regular season play, that to Carver High of Phoenix.

In the J.V. Tournament, the team went to the finals, losing there to Carver 47 to40, in a hard fought ball game.

Jimenez and Galindo were chosen on the District's J.V. first team, with Captain Jarnagin on the second team.

The J.V.s outstanding record makes the outlook good for a strong varsity team next year. Mr. Komadina also coached the Junior Varsity.

Standing: Mr. Komadina, Palmer, McMillan, Connolly, Barnett.

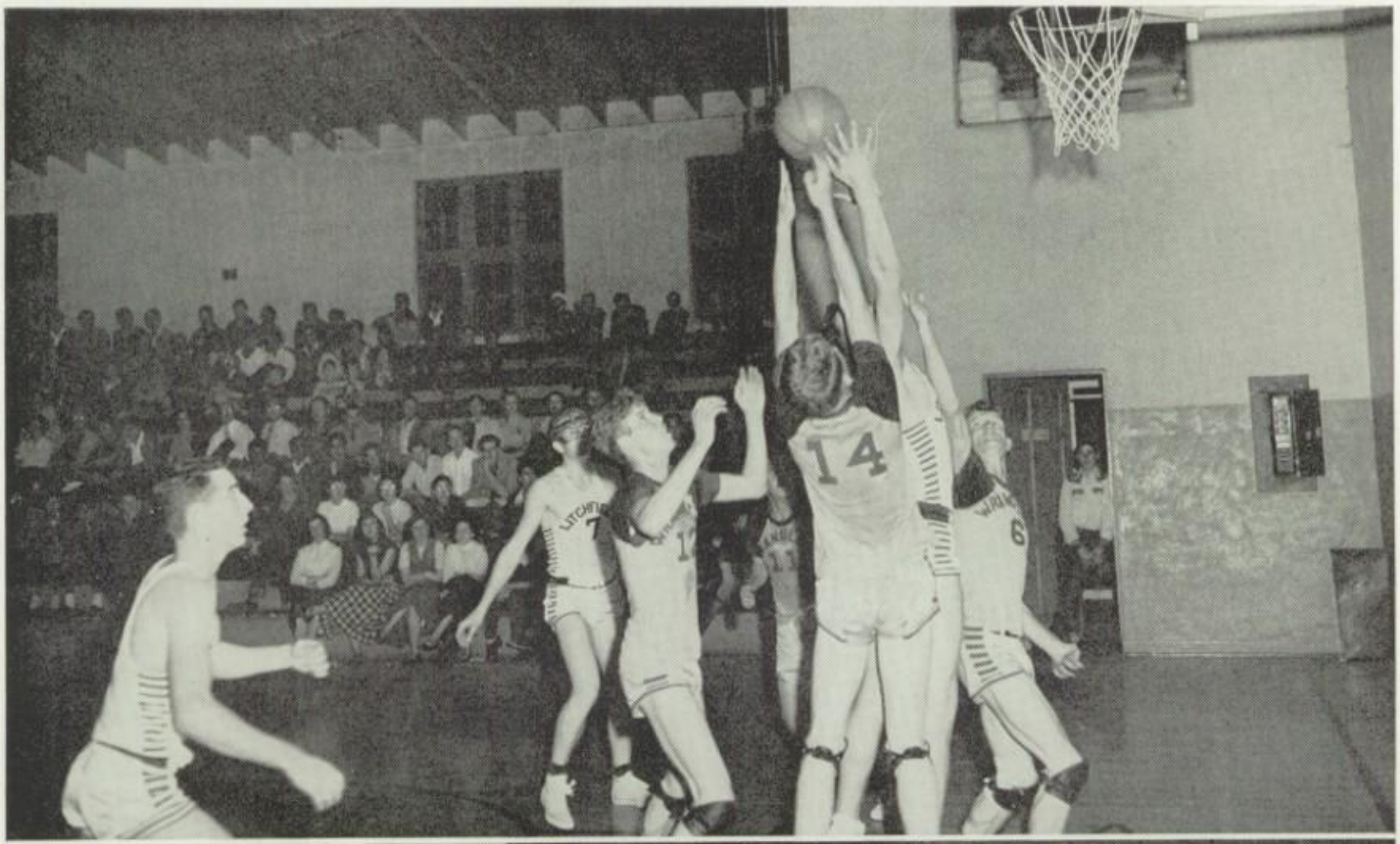
Kneeling: Galindo, Sheppard, Jiminez, Jarnagin, Miles.

SCORES OF 1951-52 J. V. CAGE SEASON

	Owls	*Opp.*		*Owls*	*Opp.*
Phoenix Indians	49	39	Gilbert	52	16
Peoria	44	31	Bagdad	50	41
Scottsdale	46	38	Scottsdale	39	45
Tolleson	30	26	Buckeye	39	25
Wickenburg	23	31	Wickenburg	47	30
Ajo	39	27	Phoenix Indians	49	37
Peoria	58	32	Carver	45	48
Buckeye	61	23	Tolleson	47	36
Parker	29	27	Gila Bend	65	27
Gila Bend	53	22	St. Johns'	70	48

Large Freshman Squad Sees Action

Back Row: Mr. Komadina, B. Barnett, Webb, Rayner, Cooper, Armstrong, Connolly, Phillips, Cole, Truman, Calkins, Goldberg. *Center:* Coor, Myers, Compton, J. Barnett, Carden. *Front:* Hall, Ludlow.



Owl Bucket Barrage In Action

Turnbow, in midst of rebound struggle, fights for ball as Wood (far left) and Johns (7) move in for action.

Sweeney's hook shot heads for a score as Wickenburg opponent unsuccessfully attempts block.

Standing: Manager, Ray Sheppard, Gene Jefferies, Thomas Shirley, Bob Burgan, Bill Zeigler, Clyde Webb, Bill Sweeney, Ronnie Armstrong, Pug Wood, Earle Rayner. *Kneeling:* Bill Barnett, Coach Garcia, Jackson Barnett, Laddie Coor, Paul Aragon, Terry Myers, Manuel Jimenez, Richard Esquivel, Al Galindo, Tom Wertner, Louis Goldberg, Manager Jerry Hall.

Horsehiders Show Improvement

This year the Owl nine has shown a great improvement over previous years by ending the season with a 6-7 record. With the return of the two starting pitchers, Gene Jefferies and Richard Esquivel plus thirteen lettermen, the team managed to down St. John's Mission, Gila Bend, a strong Ajo club, the Scottsdale Beavers, and the Wickenburg nine. The Owls traveled to Peoria only to be blanked 3-0. They then bounced back to defeat the Scottsdale Beavers 2-1 in a close-fought battle. The following week found the Owls upsetting Ajo 6-1. Litchfield stayed in the win column by defeating Gila Bend 6-4 and St. John's Mission 6-2. Gila Bend then came back to defeat the Owls 3-2. Buckeye downed a fighting Litchfield nine 7-3 the following week. St. John's turned the tables by upsetting the Owls 3-0 in a close-fought game. Tolleson then trounced the Litchfield horsehiders 11-3 in the worst beating of the season. The Owls then journeyed to Wickenburg to return with a score of 4-0, with Litchfield on top. The next game found the Litchfield Owls coming out on the short end of a 3-1 ball game with Parker. Carver then defeated the Litchfield nine, 5-4 in a close nine-inning game to end the season.

THE '52 SEASON'S RECORD

	Owls	*Opp.*
Peoria	0	3
St. Johns' Mission	6	2
Gila Bend	6	4
Gila Bend	2	3
Scottsdale	2	1
Ajo	6	1
Buckeye	3	7
St. John's Mission	0	3
Tolleson	3	11
Wickenburg	4	0
Parker	1	3
Wickenburg	10	1
Carver	4	5

Jefferies and Esquivel handled the mound work for the Owls. Jefferies, a senior this year, was out most of the season with an injured back, but recovered in time to defeat St. John's Mission, the Wickenburg nine, and to throw fine ball against the Parker horsehiders. Esquivel, who developed into a strong moundsman last season, pitched exceptional ball in beating the Scottsdale Beavers and the Ajo Red Raiders, both highly rated clubs. His fast ball was respected by all teams he faced. Paul Aragon, also a senior, did a bang-up job at catching this year.

High Flying Owls In Action

Pug Wood, stellar shortstop, slides into home plate as second sacker Manuel Jimenez races to first base after attempted squeeze bunt in varsity intra-squad game. Catcher Paul Aragon awaits potential play at home while Gene Jefferies, crafty Owl moundsman, prepares to snag ball.

Other Litchfield varsity players shown at infield positions are, left to right: Bob Burgan, third base, superb fielder; Richard Esquivel, at shortstop, three-year letterman who also compiled a fine pitching record; Laddie Coor, second base, who also aided Owl catching corps; and Bill Sweeney, first base, three-year letterman who led Owl batters in previous season with a .344 average. Outfielders shown are: Al Galindo, at left, Bill Barnett, at center, and Clyde Webb (not pictured), at right. All three were noted for their dependability in fielding and at the plate.

Perhaps the best game of the year was the 2-1 upset dealt to the highly-rated Scottsdale Beavers. Richard Esquivel held the Beavers to three hits to grab the win. Although Litchfield batters gave him only two-hit support, Al Galindo's timely single proved the difference as he drove in Bob Burgan and Pug Wood with the winning tally.

Another hard fought game was an extra-inning loss to the traditionally tough Carver Monarchs. Gene Jefferies pitched nine innings, two over the regular seven, before losing the game on an unearned run, 5-4. Throughout the game, Jefferies held the usually heavy hitting Monarchs to a few scattered hits. However, spotty hitting and several costly errors proved the difference. Big blow for the Owls came with Pug Wood's bases-loaded home run early in the game.

Snappy Net Group Is Active

One of the largest tennis squads in the school's history turned out to participate in the 1951-52 net matches. The squad consisted of twenty-five members, with representation from all four classes. Much of the interest in the sport was stimulated by its coach, Mr. C. B. Coor, who aided many of the inexperienced players in mastering the fundamentals of good tennis.

The large squad made necessary the use of a competitive device, the tennis ladder, for determining starting positions at the team's several matches with West Central schools. Throughout the year, each participant could challenge the person ahead of him on the ladder, in hope of improving his rank. This method provided much interest in competition within the squad.

The tennis team had three matches during the regular season. After losing by slim margins to Tolleson, Scottsdale and Buckeye, the squad defeated Scottsdale at a rematch between the two schools.

Only nine of this year's racquet team are seniors, leaving a good supply of promising talent as a foundation for next year.

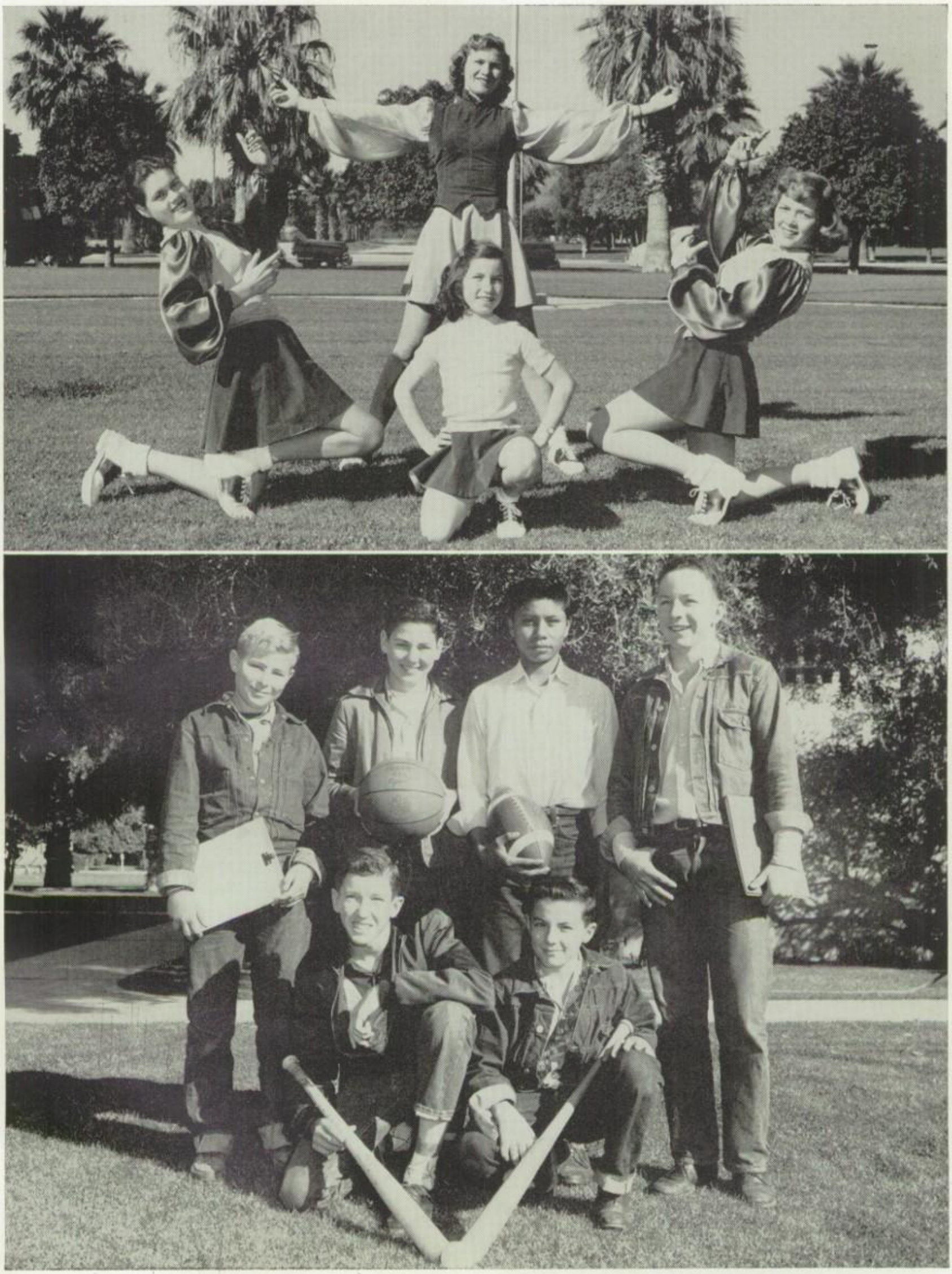
As the Wickiup goes to press, the squad is looking forward with interest to participation in the West Central District tennis tournament at Buckeye on April 24.

Back Row: Mr. Coor, Archie Tucker, Larry Watt, Bobbie Ludlow, Leon Jarnagin, Bill Crabtree, Teddy Callan. *Middle Row:* Rose Ella Calcote, Joy Belluzzi, Sue Ann Burns, Nancy O'Neal, Jo Anderson, Pauline Jefferies, Frances Hawkins, Barbara Jarnagin, Rita Crabtree, Ruth Hancock.

Kneeling: Arlyne Rodgers, Kay Jackson, Eleanor Brinker, Jo Anne Myers, Martelle Shears, Barbara Massongill, Aliene Belluzzi, Pat Ackman.

They Help Win Games

Cheerleaders: Kay Jackson, Martelle Shears, Dodee Gaefcke, and Brenda Shears



Managers: Don Lux, Bill Barnett, football; Bill Crabtree and Teddy Callan, basketball; Jerry Hall and Ray Sheppard, baseball.

The managers and cheerleaders play an important role in assisting the teams and in creating and maintaining school spirit.

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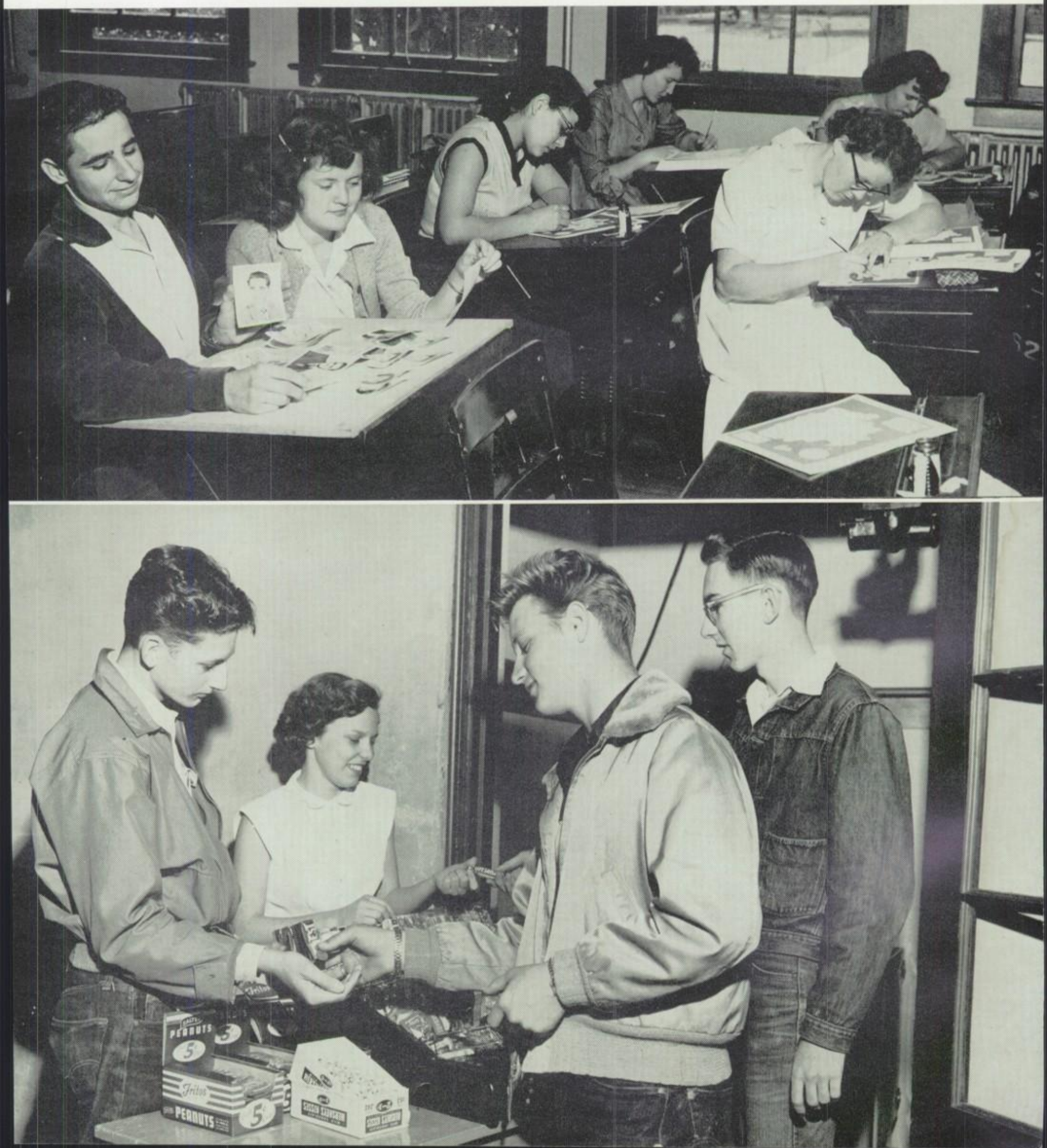
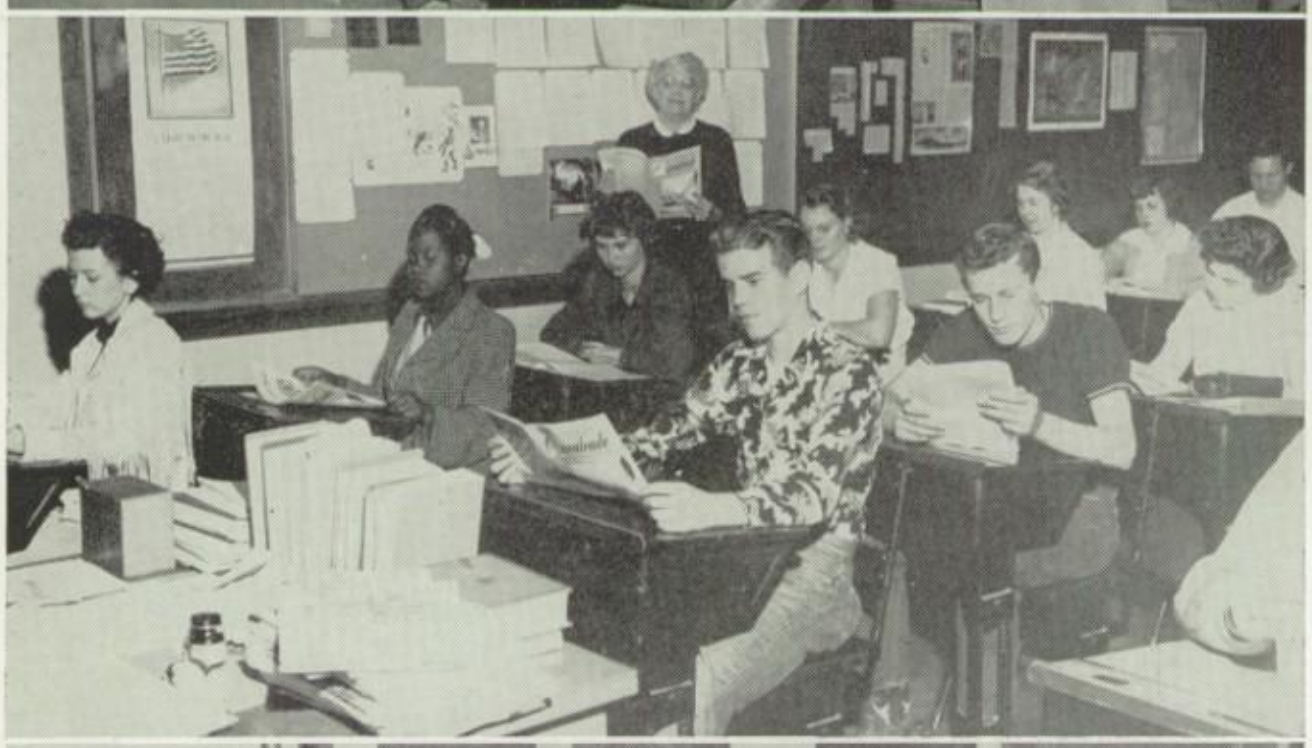
What Is School Without Work?

Inside L.H.S. work and responsibility, both curricular and extra-curricular, are the most important factors in school life.

Illustrations below show some of the seniors engaged in the process of making the annual. Members of the annual class are mounting pictures and painting maps; the business manager and his assistant are engaged in the second semester project of selling candy.



THERE IS ALWAYS somebody in the office to help the students purchase supplies and get absence and tardy slips.



A JUNIOR ENGLISH class meets with Miss Hundhausen to study the ways of mankind as revealed in literary works.

TANYA AND HELEN are trying to decide which magazine to read. The library has an excellent selection.

MEETING every second hour with Mr. West the chemistry class is learning the principle of the ammonia fountain.

THE HOME ECONOMICS class learns to prepare meals. Here the freshman girls are making frosting.

THE GIRLS' P. E. CLASS participated in many games this year. Among these were tennis, badminton, softball, and ping-pong.

MR. COOR INSTRUCTS the students in safe driving. This class helps make "Highways Safeways."

THE CAFETERIA STAFF greets the noon-hour rush with a smile. Here the students may purchase nutritious meals at a nominal price.

MR. WEST EXPLAINS to his algebra class that if X equals this and Y equals that, then the answer must be this.

THE MECHANICAL drawing class learn to draw plans for their future homes.

THE STUDENTS LEARN shorthand to prepare themselves for secretarial jobs.

A TYPING I CLASS learns that speed and accuracy are essential to good work.

What Is School Without Play?

Below are two pictures of the Girls' League dance, the Winter Fantasy. The first shows a close-up of the king and queen just after the crowning. The second pictures the entire court scene. From left to right are Martelle Shears ;attendants Leon Jarnagin, Jack Palmer, Bob McMillan, Bill Zeigler; crown bearer Johnny Garcia; king, Gene Jefferies; queen, Joyce Forbes; crown bearer, Judy Coor; attendants Joan McMenamin, Barbara Jarnagin, Frances Wilson, Frances Hawkins; and vice-president Sue Singleton.

Juniors Honor Seniors

Shown in the top picture is a portion of the head table at the annual Junior-Senior Banquet. The beautifully carried out theme was *Oriental Gardens*. The lower picture shows the dancing on the patio following the banquet. Held April 12 at the Wigwam, the banquet and prom were sponsored by Mrs. Jamison and Mr. Hayden.

Seniors Frolic on Halloween

Eek! a ghost . . . Time out for refreshments . . . Swing your partner . . . The Virginia Reel was enjoyed by all . . . Music, Maestro, please . . . Bluebeard's wives.

THE RECEPTION committee greets students as they arrive at the *Winter Fantasy*. Jo Anne Myers and Larry Watt have just entered.

THE BOYS' Alliance gave the first formal dance of the year. It was held in the gym on November 17.

THE STUDENTS ENJOY dancing under the colorful canopy at the *Wild Harvest Ball*. Autumn colors were used in the decorations.

THE BANQUET which the Juniors gave in honor of the Seniors has just started. The tables were beautifully decorated.

C.B.O. CONVENTION group watch jets soar at morning tour of Luke Air Force Base. Actual flight operations were featured at the meeting.

DELEGATES POSE in front of F-80 Thunderjet. Convention was attended by a cross-section of Arizona high schools.

PORTION OF DELEGATES inspect two engine light bomber. Tour of Luke Field provided much interest in the convention.

ANOTHER picture of group after business meeting at headquarters in Litchfield. A tour of Litchfield Naval Air Facility followed.

Frosh Tug and Pull

On your mark, get set, go! . . . Frosh get ready to give Sophs free showers . . . Allah! . . . Picture of satisfaction . . . The sophomore boys look confident . . . The freshman boys tried hard, but lost.

Frosh Bow to Sophs

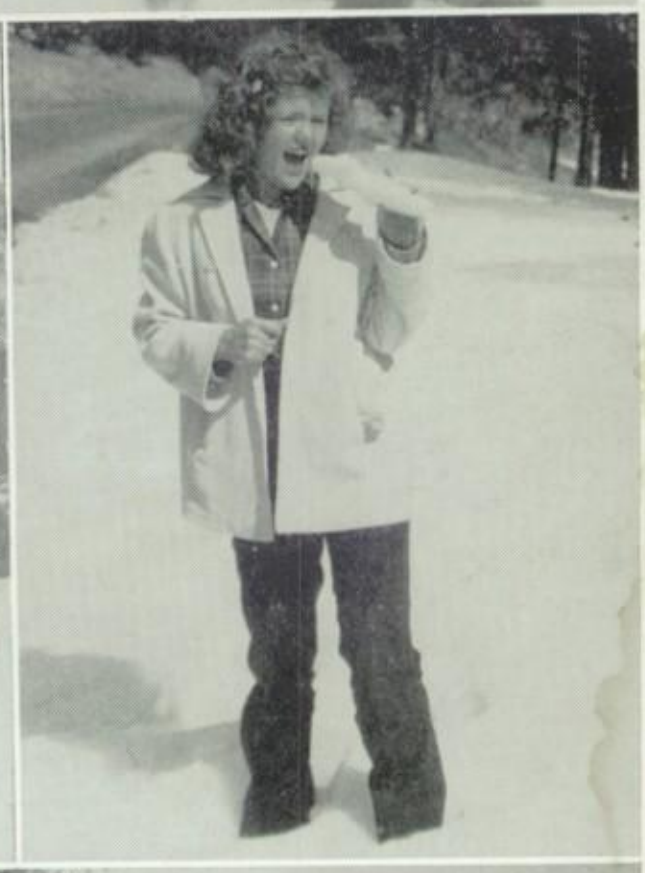
Ooh! the life of a freshman! . . . Toothbrush put to good use . . . Yo, heave ho! . . . Mr. Quass' shoes get their annual polish . . . The little ones work hard . . . Revenge is sweet . . . One, two, three—pull! . . . Slaves pose for picture . . . What a day!

Students Enjoy Frolics and Supper

Rita congratulates her brother after a hard race . . . Joy leaps through the air . . . The food is delicious . . . Enjoying the tacos . . . At the Spanish supper . . . After eating, there are always dishes to wash . . . Vaulting over . . . Rose Ella in the girls' broad jump.

L.H.S. Delegates Enjoy Snow

The girls enjoy the snow at the Girls' League Convention . . . Ready for a snowball fight . . . Mr. Tidwell pauses for action . . . Crowned with snow . . . Jo Anne looks as if she enjoys eating snow . . . Joyce takes time out to rest . . . The student council delegates at Kingman.

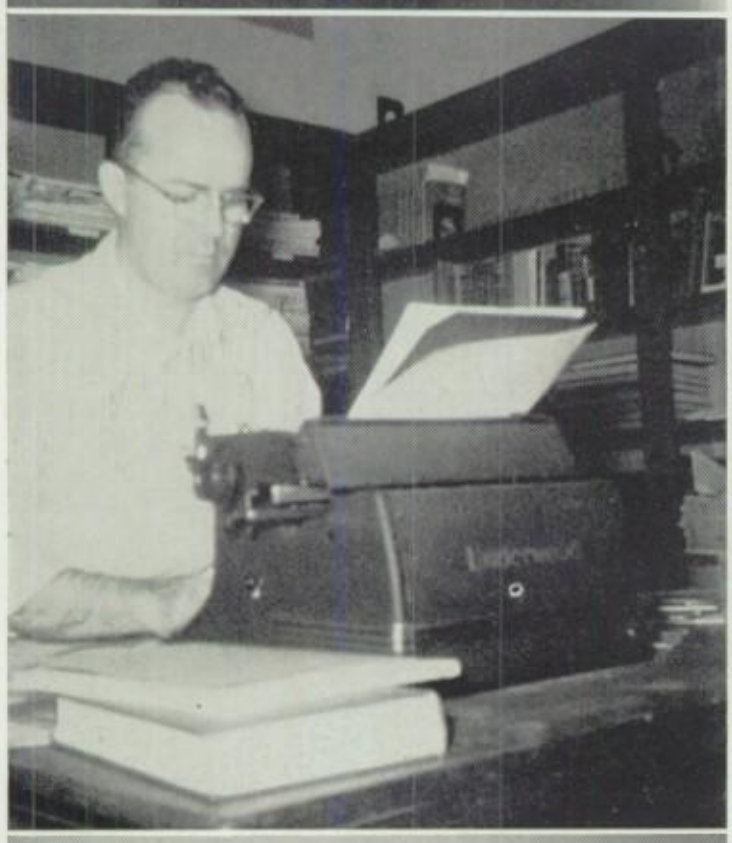


Juniors Win April Frolics

A group of students get ready for the bicycle race . . . The spectators watch with interest as Sue Ann jumps . . . Rita rests after volleyball game . . . It looks as if Bill won . . . The king and queen of April Frolics were Richard Esquivel and Martelle Shears . . . Martelle won the sack race for the Seniors . . . A group of biology students on the annual field trip . . . Everyone tried hard in the sack race . . . The Juniors playing the Seniors in volleyball.

Students Go On Field Trip

Some students pause for a refreshing drink while on the biology field trip . . . Mr. Quass, the biology teacher, accompanied the students . . . Manuel points out that candy can be made from a cactus . . . Mr. Hayden is doing some library work . . . Buford had better not sit down . . . Students stroll through the cactus garden . . . Lost in the magazines . . . Frank drove the bus for the biology field trip . . . Miss Ybarra explains something to her Spanish class.



The 1952 School Year Ends

WITH BOOKS under their arms a group of students board one of the buses that will take them to their homes. The last bell of the school year has rung, and for three months the classrooms and corridors at Litchfield High School will be empty and silent. For the underclassmen this last bell means three months of vacation from study. For the seniors who have left their "Footprints on the sands of time" at Litchfield High it means that a very definite period of their lives has ended. Their four years of high school are over, and they will go their various ways into the streams of life. From now on life will bring them new responsibilities that it is hoped will be met in a courageous and efficient manner because of the experiences enjoyed *Inside L.H.S.*

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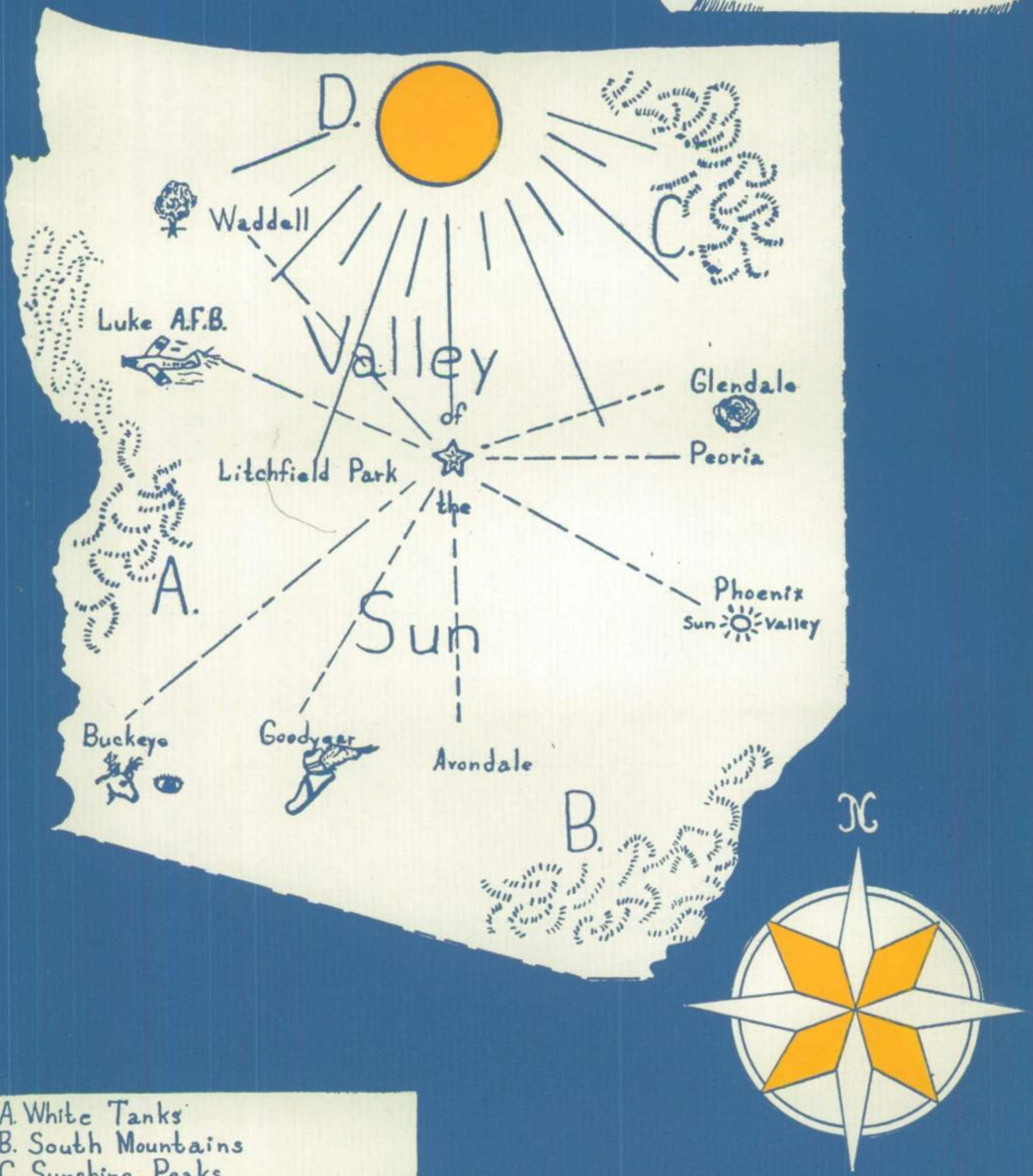

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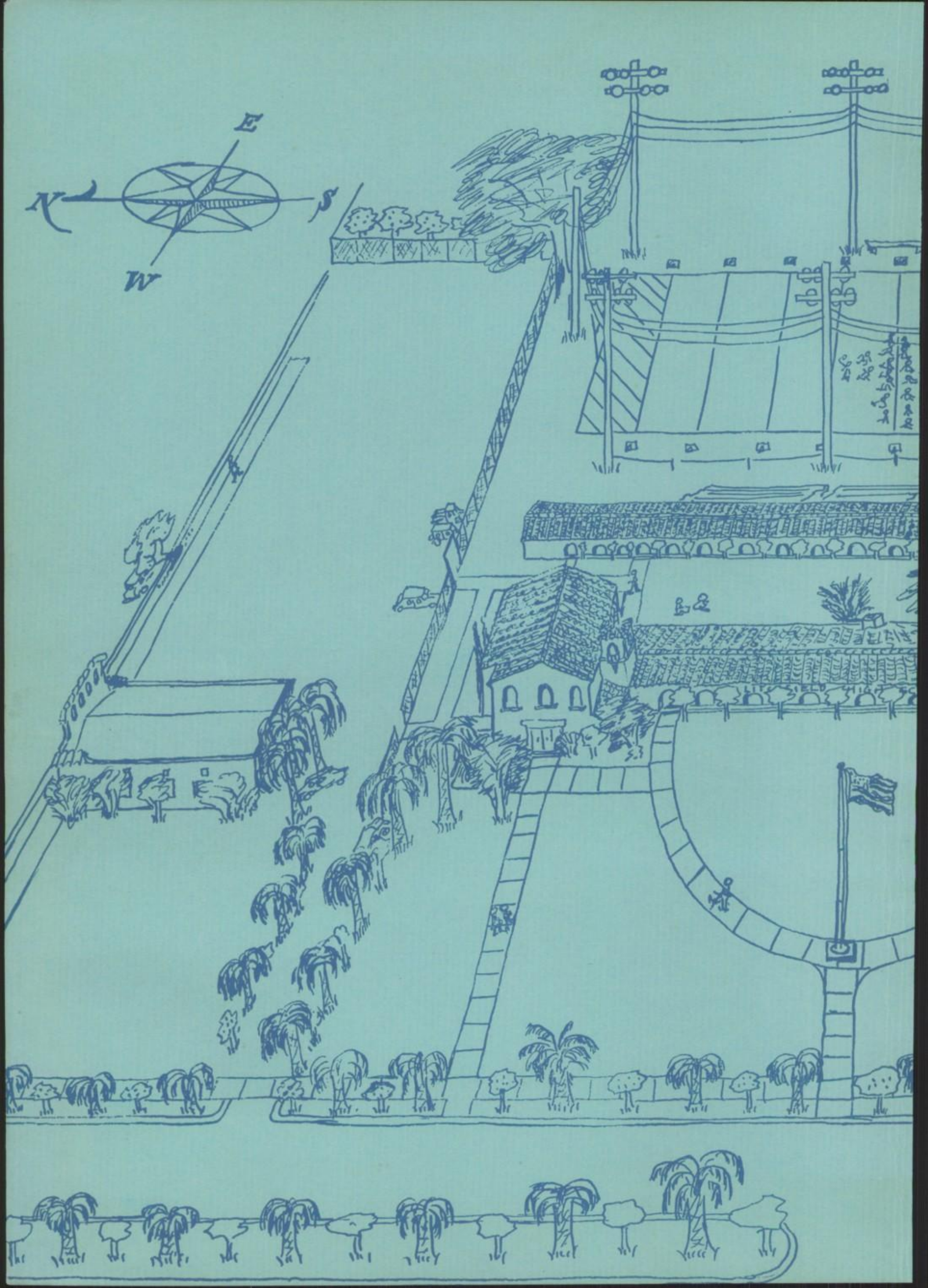
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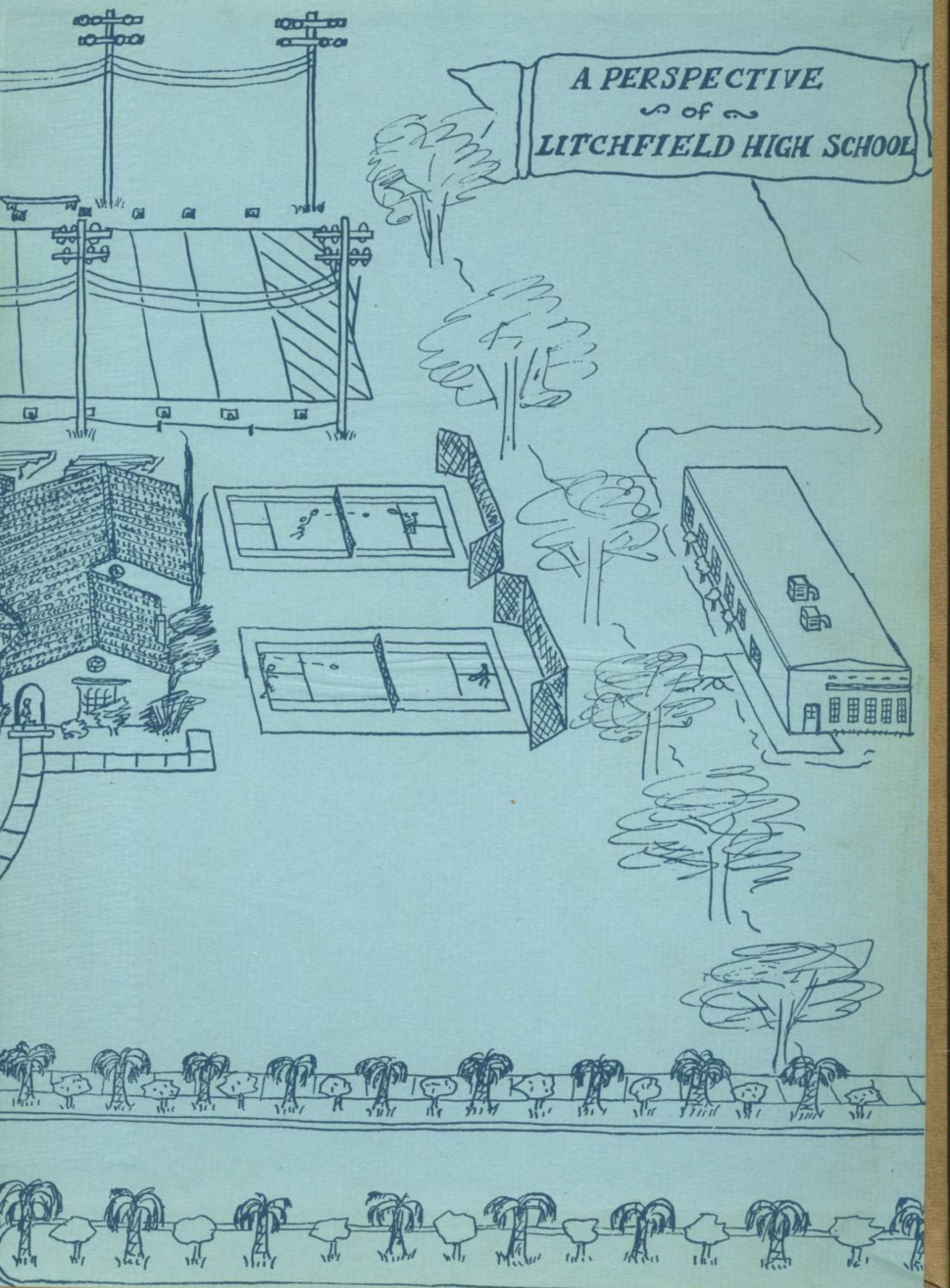
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